

THE WEATHER
Rain tonight in east and south portions. Thursday cloudy and colder west portion. Warren temp.: High 38. Low 35. Sunrise 7:45. Sunset 5:07.

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GOOD EVENING
The "State Of The Union" message is interesting though taxing!

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President Asks \$4,000,000,000 in New Taxes

SIX BURN TO DEATH IN FIRE IN DWELLING

Fast-Spreading Blaze In Phoenixville Frame House Believed Started By Kerosene Stove

HALF DOZEN RESCUED

Phoenixville, Jan. 5.—(AP)—Six persons burned to death in a flash fire that raged through a two-story frame home near this eastern Pennsylvania town early today. Six other persons escaped. Among them was a two-year-old child who was tossed from a second-floor window. Another was a widow whose legs had been amputation above the knees. Investigators said the fast-spreading blaze apparently started when a kerosene stove upset on a back porch of the home, crowded because one family had permitted an evicted family to move in with them. Coroner Cooper T. Bishop, Jr., of Chester county identified the victims as: Percy Lick, 28, a war veteran. Mrs. Theresa D'Inverno, 25, his bride, a native of Edinburgh, Scotland, whom Lick married in London. Vincent Lick, 5, their son. George Lick, 35, Percy's brother. Elwood Patrick, 30, a roomer. Shirley Schwenk, 15, a pupil at Memorial Junior High School. Her family moved in with the Licks after being evicted from their home. Those who managed to escape were listed by Bishop as: Michael Lick, two who apparently were dropped to the ground by Mr. and Mrs. Percy Lick, his parents; Martin Kraft, 21; Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Kraft, each 35; their son, Matthew, Jr., six months and Kraft's mother, Mrs. Mary Kraft, 52. Firemen fought the blaze for two hours. Their efforts were hampered by the cold and because they had to pump water from the Schuylkill river 300 yards away. They were unable to enter the house until after daybreak to search for the bodies. Most of the story of the blaze was told by Martin Kraft. He described how he had been awakened on a couch downstairs and found the flames roaring through the back of the house. "The fire was all around me," said. Shouting to arouse other sleeping occupants, Martin dashed in to a front floor bedroom, picked up his mother and carried her to safety. Both of her pairs of artificial legs were lost in the fire. The younger Mrs. Kraft, awakened by her brother-in-law's cries, picked up her infant son and crawled with him through a window after breaking the glass. She suffered cuts. Her husband reached safety in the same manner. The Kraft brothers made repeated attempts to enter the house but were driven back by the flames. They were making one last attempt to enter when Michael Lick was pitched from a second-floor window landing almost at their feet.

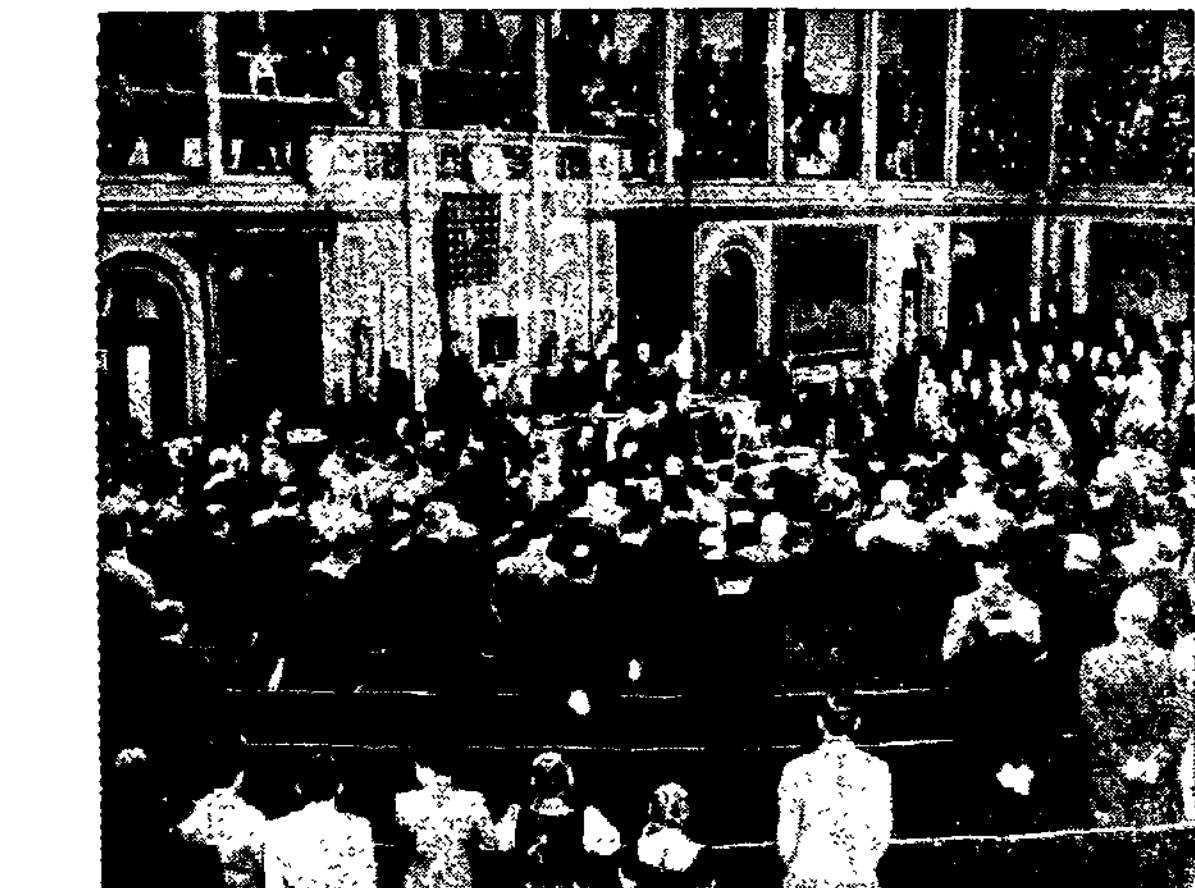
Stabs Young Son And Wounds Wife

Pittsburgh, Jan. 5.—(AP)—A young father today was charged with murder in the stabbing of his three-month old son and the wounding of his wife. Police Lt. Peter Connors said John Mahoney, 23, was accused of snatching the baby from his crib, beating him, plunging a knife into his body and then striking the infant against a wall last night. The wife, Mrs. Mildred Mahoney, 28, fought to rescue the child. She suffered stab wounds in the face and chest. At Mercy Hospital where Mahoney and his wife are recovering from their injuries, the young radio repairman said: "I've had trouble at work. Everyone's been working against me. They've been hiding tools from me. I was so nervous I couldn't work and came home early."

Plans For Twelfth Night Tree Burning Program Complete

Plans for the Twelfth Night celebration at Beatty Field on Thursday evening are practically complete, according to Mrs. Ralph Van Ord, president of the Warren County Council of Girl Scouts. Chimes from the First Methodist church, played by Dean Blair, will be the signal for the procession to start through the traditional event on the Girl Scout calendar will begin promptly at seven o'clock and the public is cordially invited to view the colorful ceremony.

New Congress Convenes



As Congressmen and spectators stand with bowed heads, The Rev. James Shera Montgomery (on rostrum), House chaplain, reads a prayer in the House Chamber to open the 81st session of Congress. In the foreground are some of the Congressmen's children who attended the colorful ceremony.

Duff Proposal For Gasoline Tax Boost Meets Opposition

Harrisburg, Jan. 5.—(AP)—Mounting legislative opposition today dogged Gov. James H. Duff's proposal for a gasoline tax boost. Antagonism crossed party lines shortly after the governor suggested an increase in his message at the opening of the general assembly yesterday. Democrats came out flatly against the idea. Republicans tempered their opposition. Some of them wanted strings tied to the increase to insure against concentrating road-building in urban areas. Duff proposed hiking the tax from four cents a gallon to six cents to maintain a \$100,000,000 a year highway program. As an alternate, he said the lawmakers could enact a one-cent boost with the rest of the money raised by a general state authority. Bonds issued by the authority would finance big projects like bridges and expressways. "I absolutely think there should be a reshuffling of the thinking on roads," said State Sen. John H. Denny (D-Westmoreland), senate minority leader. He added that "you can't tax rural dwellers in this state for high cost roads that serve" only metropolitan centers. Typical of the rank-and-file GOP comment, apart from leaders who are in Duff's camp, was this statement by Rep. Edwin Tompkins (R-Cameron): "Before we allow a gas tax increase I'd like to know in advance where the Highways Department will spend all that money. I'm against handing out a blank check for millions of dollars."

Seven Die In Crash Of Air Force Plane

Colfax, Calif., Jan. 5.—(AP)—Seven men were killed and another was believed missing in the crash of a two-engine Air Force transport plane 10 miles southeast of here last night. Placer County Coroner Francis E. West, who returned here early today after viewing the wreckage with a group of Air Force officers, said seven bodies were counted in the wreckage. They were not removed because the wreckage was still too hot from flames which swept the plane. A guard was posted and bodies will be removed and the debris searched later today, West said. He said the Air Force investigators from McClellan Field told him an eighth man was believed aboard but they could see only seven bodies. The plane was flying from Hill Field, Ogden, Utah, to its base at McClellan Field, Sacramento, Calif., when it crashed in this northern California Sierra Nevada foothill area. McClellan field said at least three persons aboard were Air Force personnel attached to the field. West said witnesses who talked to him and to the Air Force investigators fairly well established that the plane caught fire and then exploded while flying at about 1,000 feet. The crash was timed at about 6:30 p. m. (9:30 p. m. EST) yesterday.

Two-Headed Baby

Frankfurt, Germany, Jan. 5.—(AP)—A baby with two heads and three legs was born in a nearby hospital last night. The child died after one hour. Doctors said the body was an arrested case of Siamese twins. The 27-year-old German mother was reported recovering.

DIES ON THE JOB

Salisbury, Jan. 5.—(AP)—Charles E. Butler, 72, who retired in 1944 after 49 years as a school teacher, volunteered for a job as a substitute teacher this week in Salisbury Junior High School. He was dressing for his second day's work yesterday when he died of a heart attack. Valentine's are making a special pick-up of Christmas trees this afternoon, the collection to be piled under the direction of Frank Seely, with the help of his Cub Scouts and their dads. Ed C. Lowrey, Times-Mirror editor, will serve as master of ceremonies and will crown the girls designated as king and queen. Mrs. Walter Mathyer, chairman of the public relations committee of the council, is acting as general chairman for the celebration.

Truman's Family On Hard To Hear Speech

Washington, Jan. 5.—(AP)—Mrs. Truman and daughter Margaret beamed from front row seats in the presidential gallery today when the president delivered his state-of-the-union message to congress. Mrs. Truman wore a black outfit with a fur jacket and a hat trimmed in white. Margaret wore a black cloth coat, a fur stole and a black hat with a long, tan feather. Also in the president's audience were the diplomats of foreign nations. They got a standing ovation from the congress members as they marched down the center aisle.

Claim Chiang Overtures But 'Delay Action'

Shanghai, Jan. 5.—(AP)—The Communist new China news agency today termed Chiang Kai-Shek's peace overtures a Nationalist "delaying action" and said the Reds would fight on "to the finish." The broadcast was picked up in Nanking by the newspapers in Woon Pao. No other source reported hearing the broadcast, the first mention by the Yanan radio of Chiang's peace feeler of a few days ago. (Turn to Page Eight)

State Authority Patterned After Old Plan Is Proposed

Harrisburg, Jan. 5.—(AP)—Pennsylvania's proposed new state building authority will be patterned closely after that created in 1933. It will be broad enough to build everything from dams to highway expansion program one of its biggest tasks. A high Republican source said today it may be weeks before the details of the plan are worked out, but the authority law repealed four years ago "seems broad enough to do almost anything we will want." He said some of the questions to be ironed out will be how to apportion the expenses of the authority's operations between general state revenues and the commonwealth motor fund. All the roads and bridges built would be free. Buying of toll bridges is not included in the plan. Duff recommended the recreation of the building agency in his biennial message yesterday. It quickly won wide support from both parties in the legislature. Democrats fought killing off the agency four years ago but Republicans pushed it through as an economy move. "I see nothing inconsistent about that," commented Sen. Paul L. Wagner (R-Schuylkill). "It was only good housekeeping to pay off your obligations when you have the money; then you are ready for the next emergency." Nevertheless, there was scattered Republican opposition to the Authority proposal. Typical sentiment was that from Rep. William W. Waterhouse (R-Erie) who said: "I would prefer to pay as we go." Democrats, however, generally favor it. The 1935 Authority was established by the Democratic administration of former Gov. George H. Earle. It was set up to provide jobs on public works in a depression period. The plan by-passed the constitutional limitation of \$1,000,000 on the state debt and later won state supreme court approval in a court test. President Truman in opposing New York's request said he would press again this year for congressional sanction of the St. Lawrence seaway-power project, which Dewey also favors. Dewey, the defeated Republican presidential candidate, said with a union shop. (Turn to Page Eight)

Dewey Maps Pay-As-You-Go Program

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 5.—(AP)—Governor Thomas E. Dewey proposed to the New York legislature today a pay-as-you-go program finance a budget of approximately \$900,000,000. At the same time the governor, in his annual message to the legislature at the opening of its 172nd session, outlined long-range projects costing more than three-quarters of a billion dollars. Dewey also rapped the Truman administration for rejecting New York's application for permission to join Ontario in Development of a St. Lawrence river power project. The governor said the benefits of the hydro-electric development were being denied the people of the state "without valid reason." The Truman administration recently shelved New York's application for permission to exploit the power potential of the St. Lawrence. President Truman in opposing New York's request said he would press again this year for congressional sanction of the St. Lawrence seaway-power project, which Dewey also favors. Dewey, the defeated Republican presidential candidate, said with a union shop. (Turn to Page Eight)

HOSTILITIES RESUMED ON NEGEV DESERT

Government Announces Israeli Troops Struck At Midnight Monday Toward Rafa

FIGHTING INCREASING

Cairo, Egypt, Jan. 5.—(AP)—Egyptian statements indicated today a revival of the battle for control of the Negev desert area and Palestine's southern coast. The government announced Israeli troops struck at midnight Monday against forward positions toward Rafa, after weekend bombardment of Gaza and Khan Yunis, two Egyptian-held cities within the Palestine coastal salient which the United Nations allotted to the Arabs. The first thrust toward Rafa, an Egyptian air base on the Palestine frontier three miles from the Mediterranean, was repulsed, but the battle is continuing, the war ministry announced. Egyptian warplanes strafed 45 Israeli armored vehicles, it said, and burned a majority of them. Foreign Minister Dessouki Abaza Pasha reported fighting in the Negev desert, which adjoins the coastal strip, increased in weight yesterday. He said the Egyptian position is satisfactory. The Negev situation had appeared to ease last week after a sharp exchange of blows. The foreign office said Jews bombarded Gaza from the sea Saturday night and bombed both Gaza and Khan Yunis from the air on Saturday night and Sunday, causing many casualties among inhabitants and Arab refugees. U. N. observers were quoted as saying 30 persons were killed and 75 wounded in Khan Yunis, the smaller of the two cities. Tel Aviv, Israel, Jan. 5.—(AP)—A foreign office spokesman said last night information received by the Israeli general staff indicated British military forces may intervene in the Jewish-Arab conflict. (There was no comment from British officials in London. Britain has mutual defense treaties with several of the Arab nations at war with Israel, but they have not been invoked so far.) The spokesman said there were reports that British has sent a number of fighter and bomber planes to Mafraq, Trans-Jordan, and that British troops are on the way to the Trans-Jordanian port of Aqaba.

Formal Phase Of Indonesia Dispute Ends

Batavia, Java, Jan. 5.—(AP)—The formal phase of the Dutch military campaign to regain control of the republic of Indonesia ended today. Lt. Gen. Simon Spoor, commander of Dutch forces in Indonesia, ordered a cease fire on Sumatra at noon (11 P. M., Tuesday, Eastern Standard Time). He told his troops in an order of the day that their task hereafter would be confined to action against roaming groups and gangs or individuals who try to cause disturbances. The same terms were used in Spoor's order announcing that formal hostilities on Java had ended at midnight, New Year's Eve. The Netherlands had informed the United Nations Security Council Dec. 29 that it would stop fighting in Java on New Year's Eve and in Sumatra two or three days later. Several delegates at that time said the Dutch statement represented defiance of the Council's order for an immediate cease fire in Indonesia. Simultaneously with Spoor's order, the army announced it had cleared Republican army troops from Bankoelen, a port on Sumatra's west coast which was the last major town still in Republican hands.

COURT ORDERS MAN TO SHAVE OFF SIDEBURNS

Ebensburg, Jan. 5.—(AP)—George H. "Geel" of Meadville, was put on probation for 23 months yesterday and the court's first order to him was to get rid of his sideburns. "I never did trust a man with long sideburns," said Judge John H. McCann, after Keeler pleaded guilty. "We're going to give you a break. Go home and shave off those sideburns and take care of your family." CORRY LABOR VOTE Corry, Jan. 5.—(AP)—About 400 employees of the Raymond Manufacturing Co., Corry, will vote Friday, Jan. 21, in an union authorization election. The National Labor Relations Board will poll production and maintenance employees on whether they want the CIO-United Automobile Workers to have a union shop.

Frozen Lake Fools Seagulls On Coast

San Francisco, Jan. 5.—(AP)—Seagulls are no more accustomed than the people of San Francisco to the unusual cold snap. There was ice today on Mallard Lake in Golden Gate park. The seagulls weren't aware until they made crash landings. The temperature dropped to 36 yesterday and early this morning to 29 at the municipal airport to the south of the city. The coldest weather ever recorded here was 27 degrees Dec. 11, 1932.

Bi-Partisan Course Not Plan Of Dems

Washington, Jan. 5.—(AP)—Senate Democratic leaders predicted today that their decision to take eight places on the foreign relations committee will "in no way" affect the bi-partisan policy. The senate Democratic steering committee decided yesterday on eight Democratic members, leaving only five spots for the Republicans. GOP senators termed the step a blow to the bi-partisan foreign policy. In the Republican-controlled 80th congress the division in the foreign relations unit was seven GOP members to six Democrats. Today, Senator Barkley (D-Ky) chairman of the steering committee, told a news conference that the bigger Democratic majority in the foreign relations group will "in no way affect the bi-partisan course" of the committee. In an obvious move to ease the way for President Truman's legislative program, the Democratic leadership also decided on an eight to five division in seven other strategic committees: Labor, banking, agriculture, judiciary, rules, commerce and public works. On the vital appropriations committee there will be thirteen Democrats and eight Republicans. Under the GOP the split was twelve to nine. The Democrats decided on a seven to six lineup in the six other senate committees: Armed Services, expenditures, interior, post-office and civil service, District of Columbia, and finance.

DECIDES SCHOOL ISSUE

Meadville, Jan. 5.—(AP)—Crawford County Judge Herbert A. Mook yesterday ruled against an independent school district in Townville borough. Petitions had been filed by 200 residents of Richmond township asking a school building in Townville to accommodate youngsters from Richmond, Steuben and Troy townships.

Winter's Worst Blizzard Is Reported Abating In West

By The Associated Press
The winter season's worst blizzard abated over parts of the western plains today, indicating some relief from the paralyzing effects of the three-day storm. The Dakotas and western Nebraska still battled the storm. In Wyoming, Colorado, Kansas, Utah and Idaho the monumental job of digging out of the huge drifts was started. Federal weather officials said the storm would blow out of the Dakotas and Nebraska within 24 hours. Temperatures generally were above the zero mark. But the citrus belts of California and Arizona had more sub-freezing weather today. The punishing blows from the raging storms across the plains states left many segments of business and industry staggering. Thousands remained marooned in trains and autos. The Red Cross' midwest headquarters estimated 8,000 were stranded by the huge snow drifts in parts of Wyoming, Colorado and Nebraska. There were another 2,500 travelers stranded in parts of Utah and Idaho. The Union Pacific Railroad said eight trains in the two states were halted by the heavy, drifting snow. Trains also were stalled over the plains of Nebraska, Wyoming and the Dakotas. Snow plows were sent out to clear the blocked tracks. Travel in many areas was virtually impossible because of blocked highways. Planes were grounded. Schools remained closed in scores of communities and in nearly all rural areas. Many factories were idle and business in some towns was at a standstill. Communications were disrupted and scores of towns and villages were isolated. At Lockport, Colo., 465 persons were stranded with more than 300 of them living in a tavern. Below freezing weather hit areas in California, Arizona and Nevada again today, threatening the orange and lemon crop. The mercury dropped to below freezing at Phoenix, Tucson and Yuma, Ariz., and was under the 32-mark at Fresno, Calif. It headed below freezing at Los Angeles following yesterday's low mark of 28.

TRUMAN RECOMMENDS LAWS FOR SOCIAL LEGISLATION AND ECONOMIC CONTROLS PLAN

Washington, Jan. 5.—(AP)—President Truman today asked the new Democratic congress for \$4,000,000,000 in new taxes, sweeping authority to impose economic controls and a broad program of social legislation. Mr. Truman ranged far, calling for Taft-Hartley law repeal, aid to farmers, civil rights laws, universal training, broader social security, and federal programs in the fields of education and pre-paid medical insurance, plus 1,000,000 new public housing units in the next seven years. He made his recommendations in the annual State of the Union message before a joint session of the senate and house under circumstances vastly different from those of 1948. With his own party in control and many of its new senators and representatives regarded as "new dealers", the president's advisers feel that prospects are now favorable for enactment of many of the proposals the GOP-dominated 80th congress rejected last year. Packed galleries heard the president's address. It was broadcast by major networks and was carried overseas by the State Department's "Voice of America." On the House floor, women members made a spot of color. Orchid shoulder corsages turned up on Reps. Mary Norton (D-N. J.) and Edith Nourse Rogers (R-Mass.). Rep. Cecil M. Harden (R-Ind.) had a single scarlet rose at the shoulder. Initial reaction from the legislators ranged almost as widely as the message itself. Senator Lucas of Illinois, the Senate's Democratic leader-elect, said the program is in line with Mr. Truman's campaign pledges and is "designed to meet the needs of the great majority of this country."

"My hope," Lucas declared, "is that we can enact the greater part of it." Senator Taft of Ohio, the Republican policy leader, said he believes government spending could be cut so there would be no need to boost taxes. Mr. Truman suggested that most of the proposed \$4,000,000,000 increase be in business taxes. Rep. Cox (D-Ga.) interpreted the message as meaning "we are going into a socialistic state." The State-of-the-Union message gave only a general outline of what Mr. Truman wants. Most detail is to be supplied in later messages and in programs which cabinet officers will present to congressional committees. The president will have an economic message on Friday and will send his proposed budget to the legislators on Monday. Before going to the capitol, Mr. Truman had a White House conference with Democratic leaders to discuss today's message and the budget. Some of the leaders told reporters afterward that Mr. Truman would ask \$41,900,000,000 to run the government in the year beginning July 1. That compares with \$39,500,000,000 he asked for this year—though actual expenses are expected to top that. The budget may include estimates. (Turn to Page Eight)

TAXES
Raise \$4,000,000,000 additional revenue for the government, mainly by taxing corporations, but also by boosting estate and gift taxes; give consideration to increasing income taxes for the middle and upper brackets.

LABOR
Repeal the Taft-Hartley act and re-enact the old Wagner act—but with bans against jurisdictional strikes and unjustifiable secondary boycotts and some provision for avoiding strikes in vital industries. Strengthen the labor movement. Boost the minimum wage to 75 cents an hour (it is now 40 cents).

BUSINESS
Strengthen anti-trust laws by "closing those loopholes that permit monopolistic mergers and consolidations." (At another point, Mr. Truman suggested that business should seek "ways to increase its output, lower its prices, and avoid the vices of monopoly and restriction.")

FARM
Use price supports to keep farmers at a fair economic level. Restore government crop storage and expand both foreign and domestic farm markets. Extend rural electrification and other farm health and security programs.

RESOURCES
Push power, irrigation, flood control and navigation projects on the rivers. Pass St. Lawrence seaway legislation. Extend soil, forest and mineral development and conservation. Keep Tideland Oil for the federal government. Continue public power projects.

HEALTH AND SECURITY
Extend the coverage and raise the benefits of social security. Set up a system of prepaid medical insurance. Give federal financial aid to state education systems. Place federal administration of these projects under a full cabinet officer.

HOUSING
Raise present public housing goals to 1,000,000 low-rent units over the next seven years. Induce builders to cut costs and erect more low-priced housing.

CIVIL RIGHTS
Pass the same civil rights proposals requested of the 80th Congress. (They included anti-lynch, and anti-poll tax legislation and others.) (Turn to Page Eight)

State Of The Union Is Good Chief Executive Declares

Washington, Jan. 5.—(AP)—Highlights from President Truman's State of the Union message to congress today: I am happy to report to this 81st congress that the state of the union is good. The American people have decided that poverty is just as wasteful and just as unnecessary as preventable disease. Our private enterprise system has reached new heights of production. We are turning out far more goods and more wealth per worker than we have ever done before. This progress has confounded the gloomy prophets—at home and abroad—who predicted the downfall of American capitalism. We cannot afford to float along carelessly on a postwar boom until it collapses. And it is not enough merely to prepare to weather a recession if it comes. Instead, government and business must work together constantly to achieve more and more jobs and more and more production—which means more and more prosperity for all the people. The business cycle is man-made; (Turn to Page Eight)

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ANTIQUE POST OFFICE METHODS

A postman's lot, like a policeman's, is not a happy one. Some of us, during the Christmas season just past, may have squandered a sympathetic thought on the mail carrier and other postal employees as they struggled through the annual blizzard of letters and packages. But for the rest of the year we take his unhappy lot for granted.

However, the Hoover Commission has been giving plenty of thought to that unhappy lot in the course of its monumental inquiry into inefficient government operations. It has estimated, in a preliminary report, that \$200 to \$300 million a year might be saved in the post office department through changes and modernization.

Meanwhile an idea of what might be done is given by Lester Velie, writing in Collier's magazine. The United States Post Office is the world's biggest employer and runs the world's biggest business, he points out. Yet some of its operations aren't even of the horse-and-buggy era. For all our mechanization and speed today, the postman still trudges his rounds toting a heavy sack, just as he has done since city mail delivery began.

What motorized assistance he does have is out of date, Mr. Velie adds. Postal truck bodies must be four feet off the ground, for that is the standard height of loading platforms. But postmen say that loading takes about half an hour a day, after which they must spend seven and a half hours hoisting themselves in and out of the vehicle.

These trucks are tough on the men who ride them and also tough on the taxpayer's pocketbook. The custom-built antiques cannot be turned out quickly or inexpensively. Some truck builders will not bid for post office business, Mr. Velie says. And an order for 1480 new "old" trucks last summer cost \$500,000 more than modern trucks would have.

The letter carriers' union, the article states, would like to see some ancient methods and machines replaced by a mobile post office and a sorting machine. The mobile post office would be a light, inexpensive, low-slung truck with a detachable aluminum sorting case. It would carry parcel post as well as letters, and would pick up mail from storage boxes. Housewives could mail packages and buy stamps, money orders and such from the truck, instead of having to go perhaps a mile to a post office or substation.

It seems like a sensible idea, although the department so far has resisted it. And it also seems incredible, once it is pointed out, that anything as big and important as our mail service should not be as efficient and convenient as the delivery of milk or laundry.

There are two encouraging signs that something may at last be done to modernize postal methods. One is the Hoover Commission's work. The other is the fact that our present postmaster general, Jesse Donaldson, is not a politician, but a man who started in the postal service as a letter carrier.

Mr. Velie calls his article "Let's Give the Postman a Break." We think the Washington powers-that-be should do so. The hard-working, meagerly-paid courier does a fine job in the swift completion of his appointed rounds. But a little modernization would make that job swifter and easier, and lessen the accompanying discomforts of rain and heat and gloom of night.

DOUBLE SERVING

Marshal Tito needs machinery to expand his armament industry, he says. He may try to get it from the west, because the Soviet bloc hasn't lived up to its promises. But he wants to pay for the machinery with metal exports, and stop exporting grains, meats and furs.

The Nazis, it will be recalled, offered the Germans guns instead of butter. Apparently the ambitious Tito will try to give his people both.

If juvenile delinquency continues to grow maybe we'll have to bring back the old woodshed.

A California man who fell three stories will recover. And we'll bet he'll wait for the elevator next time.

An Ohio girl married a policeman who arrested her for speeding. Maybe the merry chase isn't over.

The heat is always on after a shakedown—of the old furnace.

When a man's wife can read him like a book, it's time to turn over a new leaf.



Here And There

Officials of the Girl Scout organization have completed plans for the usual interesting and colorful tree burning exercises Thursday evening at seven o'clock at Beaty Field, and it is a foregone conclusion that another large crowd will be on hand to witness the ceremony. Twelfth-Day, according to the Encyclopedia, in case you're not familiar with the tradition back of the event, is the festival of the Epiphany, in commemoration of the visit of the three kings or magi to the infant Jesus, kept on the twelfth day after Christmas, January 6. Many ceremonies used to be connected with Twelfth Night.

BIRTHDAYS
January 5
Barbara Gray
January 6
Margaret Hayes Bauer
Marion Campbell Close
Dr. J. R. Elliott
Mildred Cobb
Mrs. Roy G. Tellier
Edith Bacous
Mrs. Elmer Mellander
John Thompson
E. S. Munson
Jeanne Hoppe Baxter
Clayton Rhoades
Robert E. Couss
Milton Grosch
Mrs. George Olson
Norman E. Matthews
Robert A. Jones
Edna Miller
Mary Freund
Billie Wholeben
Frederick Patchen
Amil Johnson
David Allen
Dorothy Irene Miller
Dick Heggerty
Clara Erickson
Patricia Hesch
Norma Jean Gray

NETWORK PROGRAMS
Time is eastern standard. For central standard subtract one hour, for mountain standard subtract two hours. Some local stations change hour of relay to local schedules. Last minute program changes cannot be included.

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Action Of The House Rules Committee Is Far - Reaching

By JAMES MARLOW
Washington—(P)—You're involved in what happened to the house rules committee. So is President Truman's program for 1949. The house Monday clipped the committee's power. That may seem complicated and far removed from you. It isn't.

When Mr. Truman campaigned for election, he promised a wide program if the voters gave him Democrats control of congress in 1949:

Housing, social security, federal aid to education and health,

civil rights for negroes, and a law wiping out the Taft-Hartley labor law.

Mr. Truman's Democrats won. They're running congress. Now suppose this happened:

One of Mr. Truman's Democrats introduced a bill to wipe out the Taft-Hartley act.

Because that's complex and far-reaching, the full house sent it to its members who specialize in labor, the labor committee, for examination.

The labor committee looked it over and approved. That committee, like all committees in congress this year, is made up of Democrats and Republicans, with Democrats in the majority.

Could they send the bill right back to the floor of the house for a vote? No. They had to send it to the house rules committee. Why?

Because long ago the house decided that bills approved by a specialized committee, like the labor committee, would first go to the rules committee.

Why? So the full house could do its work in an orderly way.

The rules committee would decide what bills should be considered by the full house ahead of another bill. Most important things first, was the idea.

But this was enormous power for the rules committee. It could really smother a bill to death, if its members didn't like it, by not sending it up to the full house for a vote at all.

Wasn't there some way in which a smothered bill could be pried loose from the rules committee? Yes, but only if 218 of the 435 house members signed a petition. Getting those names wasn't easy.

But Monday the house deprived the committee of some of this power by a big vote: It decided to limit the time in which the committee could sit on a bill before letting the house vote on it. How?

This way: From now on, if the rules committee doesn't send a bill up to the floor for a vote within 21 days after receiving it from one of the specialized committees, like the labor committee, then—

The chairman of that specialized committee can ask the speaker of the house, Sam Rayburn, Texas Democrat, to take it away from the rules committee.

This puts a lot of power in Rayburn's hands. But he's an ally of Mr. Truman and can be relied upon to help the president's program.

Mackenzie's Column

The new Communist onslaught against religion in eastern Europe is a further effort to kill the spirit of independence which always has characterized the peoples of that part of the continent.

This is by no means the first evidence we have had that Moscow isn't finding it easy to subjugate these liberty-loving countries. Unrest has shown itself in virtually all of them—Yugoslavia, Czechoslovakia, Poland, Hungary, Finland, Rumania. Even the three little Baltic states which Moscow annexed are reported to be miserable in their servitude.

Russia's latest assault on religion has been directed against Czechoslovakia and Hungary. In the former, leaders of the Protestant churches have been warned "to put their ranks in order with the state." They are accused of having "ties with the Anglo-Saxon world which is against us."

At the same time there has been a fresh blast of abuse against the Roman Catholic church of Czechoslovakia. The Prague radio has charged that "Cardinals and archbishops became the spokesmen of Fascism in central Europe."

All this coincides with the action of the Hungarian government in imprisoning Cardinal Mindszenty and ten top persons of the Roman Catholic church of Hungary. The ministry of the interior claims the Cardinal who is a prime of the country, has "confessed his guilt" to treason charges.

American Undersecretary of State Lovett has characterized the action against Cardinal Mindszenty as a sickening sham. He said it is the kind of behavior typical Communist countries, and is the

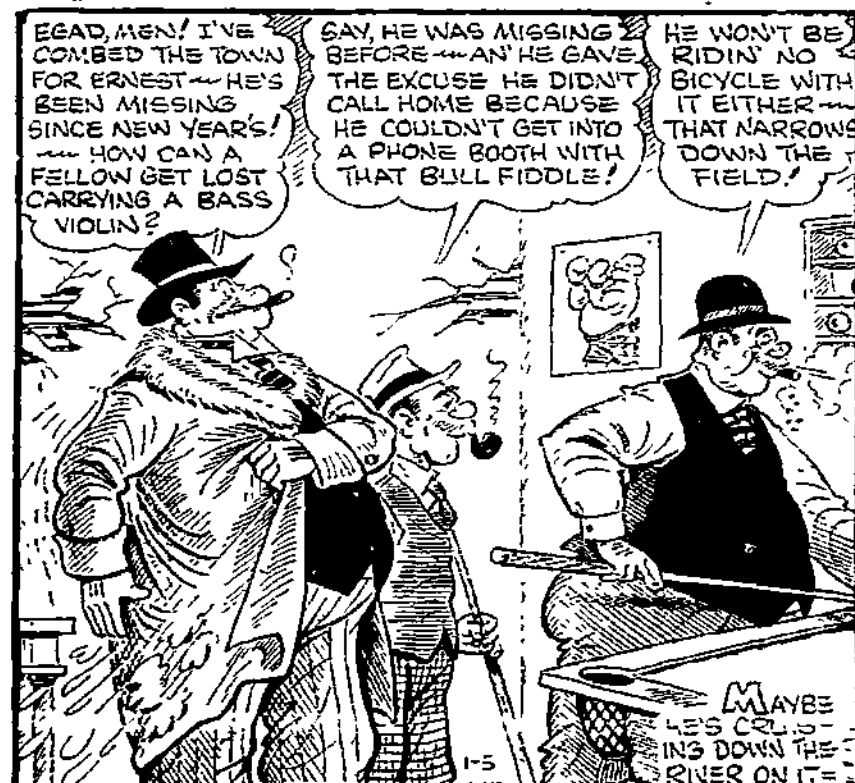
climax of a long series of actions against personal, human and now religious freedom. President Truman concurred in Lovett's statement.

The real point is, of course, that nobody can be a Communist and at the same time hold religious beliefs.

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Mrs. Ruth J. Reiff, Clarendon, R. D. 1, announces the marriage of her daughter, Rosezella, to Vedo L. Andrea, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Andrea, 1109 Pennsylvania avenue, this city, on December 15, in a double ring ceremony performed in Hagerstown, Md.

After their marriage they visited various points of interest in Maryland, Washington, D. C., and Virginia.

Mrs. Andrea was graduated from the Warren High School in the Class of 1946 and is an office employee of Sylvania Electric Products, Inc.

Mr. Andrea also graduated from the Warren schools and served three years in the U. S. Navy, with two years of duty overseas.

The couple will be at home to friends at 202 Water street.

Social Events

ARBUTUS SOCIETY

Mrs. Burr Walker was hostess Monday evening to members of the Arbutus Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian church. Principal speaker of the evening was Miss Chanda Christdas, missionary from Hyderabad, India, who gave a most enlightening talk. Miss Retta Wilson, of Union City, now retired from the mission field in India, was also a guest for the evening. Both she and Miss Christdas were attired in native Indian costumes.

Mrs. U. S. Rogers had charge of the devotional period. During the social hour which followed the program, refreshments were served by Mrs. Charles Hudson and her committee.

BPW MEETING

Warren Business and Professional Women's Club members will hold their monthly dinner meeting at the YWCA activities building next Tuesday evening. Members unable to attend may cancel standing dinner reservations by calling Miss Margaret McCallally, 2423-R, no later than Friday evening. For the evening's program, the "Emblem Ceremony" will be conducted by the membership committee.

WSWS MEETING

All members and friends of the First Evangelical United Brethren WSWS are invited to the regular meeting to be held in the Folkman parlors of the church at 7:45 p. m. Thursday. Following the devotions and lesson period, there will be a social time and refreshments served by Mrs. Herbert Cohen, Mrs. Theodore Prichard and Mrs. O. R. Pang.

DORCAS CLASS

The Dorcas Class of First Lutheran church will have a thirteen dinner in the parish house at six o'clock Thursday evening. Each one attending is asked to bring a tureen and table service, the dessert to be served by a committee of officers.

RUTH CIRCLE GIRLS

The monthly meeting of the Ruth Circle Girls of Epworth Methodist church will be held at 8 p. m. Thursday at the home of Jayne Streich, 1700 Pennsylvania avenue, east. A large attendance is hoped for.

WOMEN'S AID

Mrs. Max Schwab will entertain the Women's Aid of Salem Evangelical United Brethren church at two o'clock Thursday afternoon in the church parlors and all members and friends are welcome.

JOINS BRIDES-ELECT

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ransor, 31 Marner street, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Joyce Romano, to Harold Meyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Meyer, Sugar Grove. No date has been set for the wedding.

ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Emil A. Spetz, Lakewood, N. Y., wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Dolores, to James Winchester, son of Mrs. Sara Winchester and the late Mr. Winchester of Warren.

SHEFFIELD BETROTHAL

Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Rudolph, Sheffield, wish to announce the engagement of their only daughter, Valene F. Rudolph, to Elmer C. Slack, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Slack, also of Sheffield.

ENGAGEMENT TOLD

Mr. and Mrs. John Norda wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Marilyn, to Kenneth Larson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton M. Larson, of Clarendon. No date has been set for the wedding.

ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. John Denardi, 306 Morrison street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary, to Marion Walker, son of Frank Walker, of Clarendon. No date has been set for the wedding.

NOTICE

A proposed Budget for the Borough of Warren, Pennsylvania, was submitted by the Finance Committee of said Borough to the Borough Council at its Regular Meeting held January 3rd, 1949; that said Budget is available for public inspection at the office of the Borough Secretary in the Borough Building from 9 A. M. to 12 Noon and from 1:30 P. M. to 5 P. M. each week day except Saturday afternoons; and that after making such revisions therein as appear advisable, a Budget for said Borough will be adopted at the regular meeting of Council to be held February 7th, 1949, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

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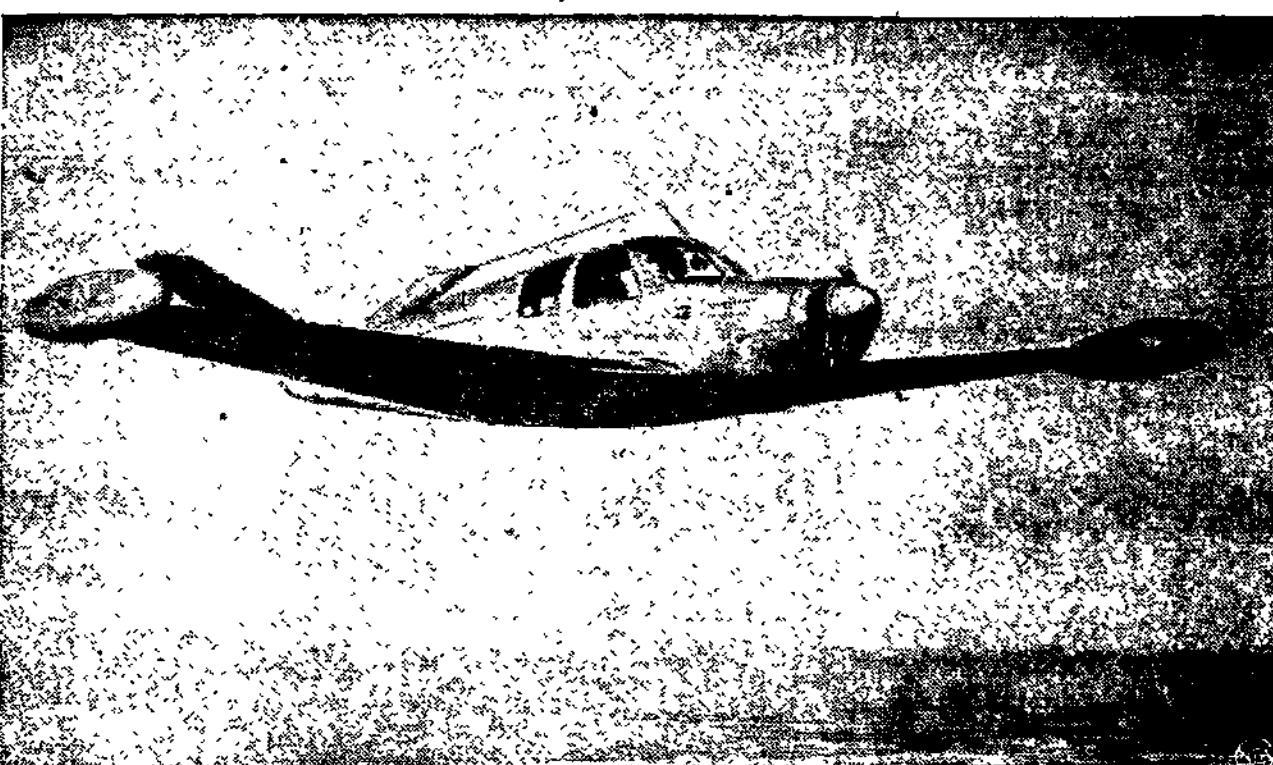
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days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Russo, 226 Main avenue.

Delores Massa has returned to her studies at Bryant-Stratton College in Buffalo, after spending the holiday season with her family in Warren.

When the universe was a tenth as old as it now is, the great masses of stars called the galaxies were formed. It took that time 300,000,000 years from the beginning of things for the universe to evolve into the general shape it is at present.

Ronald J. Massa, SR, has returned to Great Lakes naval training station after having been home for the holiday season with his family and friends. "Bud," as he is known to his friends, has six more weeks of boot training.

Vernor Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Johnson, 107 Oak street, has returned to Great Lakes naval training station to complete his boot training after spending a holiday leave at home.

COLLEGE NEWS

Carl Russo, Jr., has left to resume his studies at Marquette University after spending the holi-

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Personal Paragraphs

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Honhart have returned to Bainbridge, N. Y., after spending the holidays with relatives in town.

Miss Elizabeth Dunham, 20 St. Clair street, has returned from Tonawanda, where she spent the past week with Miss Ruth Beatty, formerly of Warren.

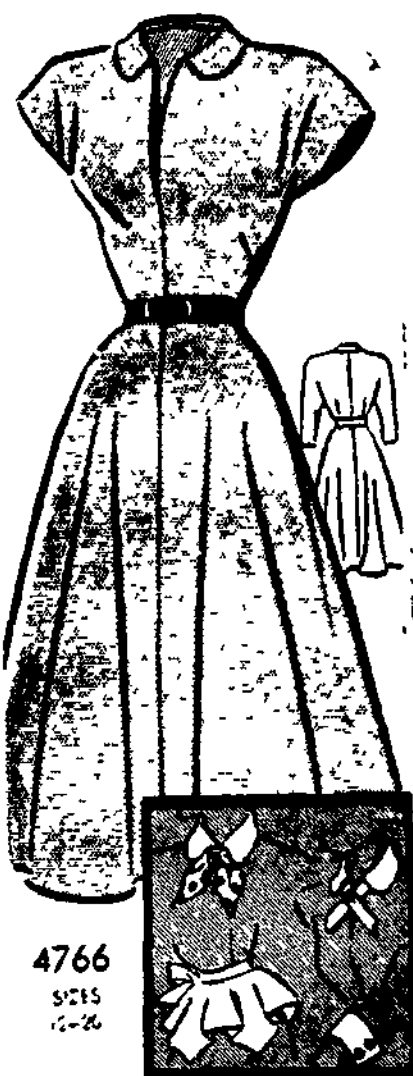
Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Werle,

Mrs. Eliza Werle, East street, and Mr. and Mrs. Ebert Clark, Pleasant township, are leaving today to spend the winter months in Sarasota, Fla.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Dahl, 116 Seneca avenue, over the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hollick, Pittsburgh, and the Misses Helen and Peggy Begeny, Washington, D. C.

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Open church will be observed by the couple for the ceremony to be performed at three o'clock Saturday afternoon in the First Baptist church, Rev. Milton G. Perry officiating.

The bride-elect arrived in this country on December 27, having been met in New York and accompanied here by members of the Nuhfer family.

Mr. Nuhfer, veteran of World War II, served three years with the army, most of which time he was stationed in Heidelberg.

MONDAY CIRCLE
HAS FINE MEETING

Members of the Monday Circle of First Methodist church held their regular meeting in Dunham parlors of the church Monday evening.

Mrs. C. C. Winans conducted the business session, Mrs. Edwin Keller had charge of the program and devotionals were given by Mrs. George Irwin.

Mrs. Alfred Stevens, accompanied by Mrs. Carl Whipple, sang two beautiful vocal numbers, after which Mrs. Paul Coe reviewed "On the doorstep." To conclude the evening, refreshments were served by Mrs. Donald C. Smith, Miss Elizabeth Reed and Mrs. Frank Wood.

PHILIPPINE WORKER
AT MISSION MEETING

The Interdenominational Mission Study Group will hold its January meeting at 2:30 p. m. Friday in Grace Methodist church, with the Salem Evangelical United Brethren church cooperating as hostesses.

An interesting program has been planned and the group will have the pleasure of hearing Mrs. O. Houser, returned missionary from the Philippines. Mrs. Norman Pierce will be the soloist. All persons in the community and nearby towns are cordially invited to enjoy and share in this event.

HELEN LOUISE SEDON
SETS WEDDING DATE

Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Sedon, 308 Park avenue, Warren, announce the engagement of their daughter, Helen Louise, of Oil City, to Lloyd H. Clark, son of Mrs. Ora Clark, of Oil City.

The betrothal will terminate in a wedding on February 12 at 3 p. m. in Grace Methodist church, Oil City, with the Rev. George Palmer officiating.

Both Miss Sedon and Mr. Clark are employed in the offices of the National Transit Pump and Machine Company.

CLUB NEW YEAR'S
PARTY SUCCESSFUL

Members of the Conewago Valley Country Club closed a very successful 1948 social season with a delightful dinner-dance on New Year's Eve. Following dinner at eight, the evening was spent in dancing to the music of Paul Michel and his orchestra from Buffalo. Serving as the committee for the function were Mrs. Thomas Creal, chairman; Mrs. Richard Smith, Mrs. Dean Anderson, Mrs. Homer Culbertson and Mrs. John Allen.

MISSIONARY CIRCLE

The Isabelle Thorburn Circle of the First Methodist WSCS will meet in Dunham parlors of the church at 7:45 p. m. Thursday, Canada Christmas, of Hyderabad, India, will be the speaker and all members are urged to be present and bring a friend to hear her. Miss Christdas is in this country for further education under the Crusade for Christ carried on by Methodism.

HOSPITAL ALUMNI

Warren General Hospital Alumni Association members, holding their monthly meeting at the nurses' home on Monday evening, were urged to attend the meeting of District Seven to be held at St. Vincent's Hospital in Erie on January 29. After a brief business session conducted by the new president, Mabel Decker, refreshments were served by Vida Peterson and Catherine Sullivan.

LADIES AID SOCIETY

Mrs. Joseph Frantz, 105 Grant street, will entertain the Ladies Aid of the Emanuel Evangelical and Reformed church at two o'clock Thursday afternoon and a cordial invitation is extended to all members and friends.

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CORYDON

Corydon, Jan. 1—The young people's group of Corydon Church of the Nazarene and members of the congregation held a social hour New Year's Eve at the home of Mrs. B. M. Stoltz, before proceeding

to the parish where watch night was observed with special music and songs. The pastor, Miss Viola Doverspike, conducted the services.

The local Ladies Aid Society met took place at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Smith. The Bible study was in charge of Rev. DeForest Tennes. In conjunction with the

meeting was held a shower party for Mrs. Leatrice Rowan, of Clarion. Numerous gifts of good will were left with the honored guest and the affair was concluded with refreshments. An out of town guest present was Mrs. A. R. Marsinek, of Berea, O.

Mrs. Eugene Crooks was hostess for the Foreign Missionary

work meeting. It was an all-day gathering and a tureen dinner was served at the noon hour. Sewing for the hostess and a social hour followed. A goodly number of members attended.

Members of the Friday club held their annual dinner at the home of Mrs. Clyde LaDow. Afterward five hundred was played and the festivity was brought to a close with the awarding of prizes.

Mr. and Mrs. George Akers spent Christmas Day with Mr. and

Mrs. Arthur Bradley, of Akeley, and also visited the Ralph Akers family in Warren.

Mrs. Thom Anthony and daughter, Joyce, have returned to Clarksburg, W. Va., following the holidays spent at their home here.

Miss Fay Covert of Hazelhurst, spent the past week here with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Swanson and son.

Stuart LaDow, a holiday guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde LaDow, has left to resume his duties with the General Electric in Schenectady, N. Y.

Master David Whyte, of Bradford, has been a visitor at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Whyte.

The Rev. Viola Doverspike has returned from Westover, where she visited during Christmas week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Marsinek

have left for Berea, O., spending a week at the home of Mrs. Marsinek's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Prue.

Mr. and Mrs. John Crooks to spend the remainder of the season in Florida. They accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. son Crooks, who will return this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brown daughter, holiday guests of B. M. Stoltz, have returned Brun.

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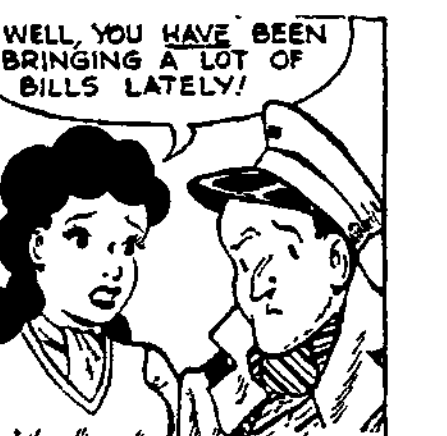
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The recommended \$4,000,000,000 tax rise is not aimed to cover them and some of his propositions might run into billions of dollars. Backers of health and medical insurance, for instance, figure that financing it would call for a pay roll tax of 3 or 4 percent on top of other social security pay roll taxes.

Many of Mr. Truman's recommendations repeated things he has asked unsuccessfully before. Mr. Truman himself told Congress today: "In the months ahead I know what I shall be able to co-operate with this Congress."

The president recommended that the new taxes be levied principally against corporations, without specifying what he has in mind. He also asked higher estate and gift taxes and consideration of increased personal income taxes "in the middle and upper brackets."

The tax proposal was part of a series of proposed anti-inflationary measures including standby power to impose wage and price controls, passage of a strengthened rent control extension, continued control of consumer credit and enlarged powers "to control bank credit."

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"So long as business does this," Mr. Truman said in a personal appearance before a joint session of the two houses, "it will be contributing to continued prosperity, and it will have the help and encouragement of government."

Mr. Truman laid before the new 81st Congress virtually every recommendation he made in the 351 speeches of his 31,500 miles of campaigning for the presidency.

Included were calls for farm price supports and adequate storage space for wheat and other crops—two items he hammered hard in winning farm states which usually go Republican.

He asked, too, for repeal of the Taft-Hartley labor law, which he blasted across the country as unfair to working men. He proposed re-enactment of the old Wagner act, with, however, prohibitions against "unofficial strikes and unjustifiable secondary boycotts."

He topped off a message sure to stir controversy in and out of Congress with a new call for enactment of the entire slate of civil rights proposals he advocated last year.

Then, they not only failed of passage, but brought a cleavage in Democratic ranks and cost him four southern states.

"I stand squarely behind those proposals," he said.

The proposals include an anti-lynching law, repeal of the poll tax as a requirement for voting, prohibitions against discrimination.

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**Maternity Hospital
Has Unusual Boarder**

The nurses of the maternity department of the Warren General Hospital have had a boarder for the past two months. When the little man first arrived everyone was a little skeptical as to how he would turn out.

Little boy, Richard John Petruny, born November 3, 1948, had arrived two and one-half months early and because of his fragile condition was not weighed or disturbed. He was placed in the incubator and given continuous oxygen.

By the seventeenth day he weighed two pounds, two and one-half ounces, but he seemed healthy and thrived on his one-fourth ounce feedings.

Due to the excellent nursing care the little man now weighs six pounds, one ounce. Within the next few days he will be leaving his many nurse friends and make his home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Petruny of Sheffield.

Under the type of policies he wants continued, he said, "our private enterprise system has reached new heights of production." In support of his tax recommendations, the president said "it is essential not only that the federal budget be balanced, but also that there be a substantial surplus or there be a substantial surplus to permit a sizeable reduction in the national debt, which now stands at \$252,000,000,000."

He did not specify the nature of the "additional corporate taxes" he wants imposed or how much of the four billion he would raise by this levy.

**Claim Chiang Over-
tures But "Delay Action"**

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No Communist official or organization was quoted by the Red News Agency, which, presumably, made the statement on its own.

However, competent sources here and elsewhere took the broadcast to mean that both sides now may be entering into a favorite Chinese pastime—bargaining.

Newspapers in Shanghai and Nanking turned the blast of their peace offensive on the government, saying the statement on its own.

Shanghai sent messages to Yenan and Nanking urging the belligerents to come to terms.

The peace clamor has spread generally over the whole country with Nationalist planes in North China asking them to stop fighting and take peace. Only around Tientsin, a city of 2,000,000, was any hostility reported. That was only rumor.

A report that United States Marines based at Tientsin would move from shore bases to ships in the harbor cropped up again.

Vice Adm. Oscar C. Badger, commander of U. S. naval forces in the western Pacific, said he had terminated discussions with Chinese authorities about turning back Shantung University property used as a bullet for 3,000 Marines. He did not say how far the discussions had progressed.

Message Highlights

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a "fair employment practice law."

FOREIGN
Restore the full effectiveness of the reciprocal trade agreements act whittled down by Congress last year. "Open our doors to displaced persons without unfair discrimination."

MILITARY
Maintain armed forces "sufficient to deter aggression." Pass universal training legislation.

ADMINISTRATION NOTICE
Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Reuben E. Dyke, late of the Borough of Sugar Grove, Warren County, Pa., deceased, having been this day granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said Estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will present them to the undersigned, properly authenticated for settlement.
GEORGE H. DYKE,
North Warren, Pa., Executor
Store and Flock, Attorneys
December 6, 1948.
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Obituary

MRS. JOSEPHINE NELSON
Services were held at the Templeton Funeral Home at 2 p. m. Tuesday for Mrs. Josephine Nelson, Cobham Park road, who passed away at her home on Friday morning. The Rev. Nore G. Gustafson, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, conducted the rites and the following served as bearers for interment in the family plot in Lakeview cemetery, Jamestown, N. Y.: R. C. Dunn, Oscar Johnson, Edward Nelson and Charles Nelson.

Attending the rites from away were Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Dunn, Thomas and James Dunn, Fluvanna, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Nelson, Charles Nelson, Jamestown; Mrs. Dora Keller, Sheffield, in addition to many friends from the Cobham Park road area.

GRACE I. PATCHEN
Services were held at the Peterson Funeral Home at 2 p. m. Tuesday for Mrs. Grace I. Patchen, 6318 Kilmer street, Cheverly Manor, Md. The Rev. Gordon V. Woods, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene, officiated and interment was made in Barnes cemetery. The following serving as bearers: Herman Hammond, Guy Frick, Harry Humes, Melvin Huckle, John Logan and Carl Stranburg.

In attendance from away were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bergstrom, Mr. and Mrs. Hilmer Bergstrom, Mrs. J. Edgar, Myrtle Fogel, Kane; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Patchen, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Patchen, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie B. Patchen, Bradford; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gens, Wayne and Marcia Gens, Silver Creek, N. Y.; Ivan Lee, Niagara Falls, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Elwood, Cheverly Manor, Md.; Bill Bergstrom, Ft. Erag, N. C.; Clair Young, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Young, Mrs. Bertha Heister, Mrs. Evelyn Burlingame, Mrs. James Young, Saybrook.

EDWARD W. SHAFFER
Services will be held at 7:30 o'clock this evening in the Lutz Funeral Home for Edward W. Shaffer, Youngville victim of the early Tuesday train-truck fatality at the Penneck railroad crossing west of town. Dr. Robert S. Steen, minister of First Presbyterian church, will conduct the rites. Removal will be made to the Evans Funeral Home in East Springfield for further services at 3:30 p. m. Friday and interment will be made at that place.

SUE I. BALDENSBERGER
Funeral services in memory of Mrs. Sue I. Baldensberger, 1107 Pennsylvania avenue, east, were held at the family home at 3:30 p. m. Tuesday, Rev. Harold Knappenberger, pastor of Grace Methodist church, officiating. Bearers for interment in Oakland cemetery were: Charles Berry, Gustav Probst, Rush Boyd, Harry Johnson, Andrew Nelson and John Cole.

Those who came from away were Mrs. Inez Newcomb, Cleveland, O.; Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Nelson, Bradford; Milton Dunn, Elsie Culbertson, Robert Dunn, Sheffield; Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Arnold, Erie; Mrs. Selma Saltsbury, Oswego, N. Y.; Mrs. Frank Moore, Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Grove, Mrs. Joseph Mason, Townville.

WALLACE R. WILCOX
The body of Wallace R. Wilcox, 57 year old former Youngville resident, arrived last evening from Safford, Ariz., where he died December 30. Removal has been made to the Young Funeral Home where friends are being received at the usual hours and from where services will be held at two o'clock Thursday afternoon. Rev. E. W. Chitester, pastor of Youngville Methodist church, will officiate and interment will be made in Youngville cemetery.

Mr. Wilcox was born on a farm near Youngville on March 15, 1892, and lived there until May, 1946. He was the last of the Thomas Wilcox family, his mother, Minnie, having died July 2, 1922, and his father on February 14, 1923. Two brothers also preceded him in death, Robert, killed in action in World War I, October 13, 1918, and Benjamin, who died in Warren General Hospital on July 22, 1919. His death occurred in the Ellsworth Hospital in Safford, Ariz., on December 30.

Until a system of world security is established x x x we cannot escape the burden of creating and maintaining armed forces sufficient to deter aggression. x x x universal training is essential to the security of the United States.

We stand at the opening of an era which can mean either great achievements or terrible catastrophes for ourselves and all mankind.

I hope for cooperation from farmers, from labor and from business. Every segment of our population and every individual has a right to expect from his government a fair deal.

LAYOFF ANNOUNCED
Uniontown, Jan. 5—(P)—Richmond Radiator Co. has announced a layoff of 700 workers in a temporary closing of its radiator enamel plant. A company spokesman said the shut down resulted from a post-holiday slackening in orders. He said the time would be spent in taking a year-end inventory.

**Body of Warren War Casualty
Arriving Thursday Evening**

Felice Graziano, 1109 Spring street, has received word from the Department of the Army that the body of his son, S/Sgt. William Thomas Graziano, will arrive in Warren Thursday evening from the Brooklyn, N. Y., Quartermaster Depot.

Removal will be made to the Leo D. Gibson Funeral Home, where friends may pay their respects on Friday from 10 a. m. until the hour of services at 3 p. m. the same day. Interment will be made in St. Joseph's cemetery. Friends are asked to kindly omit flowers.

S/Sgt. Graziano was born in Warren on June 2, 1920, and died in Winterborn, Germany, on April 10, 1945.

He was a member of St. Joseph's church, served it as an altar boy, and attended its parochial school. Later he attended Warren High School and was employed for one and one-half years by Struthers-Wellis.

He enlisted in the armed services in February, 1943, at Erie, and served as a member of the Military Police at Fort Monroe until 1944, when he was transferred to Camp Fickett and went overseas with Company G, 309th Infantry, 78th Division.

Besides his father, he leaves the following brothers and sisters: Frank J. and Peter Graziano, Warren; Ann, Theresa, Joseph and Thomas Graziano, at home; Victor Graziano, Tulsa, Okla.

Times Topics

INSTALL CLOCK
A large electric clock has been installed near the check-outs at the A&P foodstore here for the convenience of customers.

RESUMING GAMES
A luncheon was made that the weekly party with games will be resumed at the North Warren community house at 7:30 p. m. Thursday, a recess having been taken during the holiday season.

SCOUT COMMISSIONERS
A regular meeting of the Commissioners Staff of the Warren County Boy Scout Council will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Scout office here. Plans for a mobilization day for Scouts will be discussed.

MOTOR TROUBLE
A big truck, loaded with snow fence, blocked the center of Pennsylvania avenue west in Times Square for more than an hour today when the motor conked out. Enough police directed traffic around the big vehicle while repairs were being made.

RIVER DOWN
The Allegheny river level at Warren today was at the five-foot mark, a drop of two feet from the seven-foot stage that has prevailed for the past several days. However, rain and melting snow is expected to start the river rising again. No danger of flood is apparent at this time, however, observers said.

LINCOLN UNIT
A very interesting program has been planned for the meeting of the Lincoln PTA to be held at the Clarendon Heights school building at 8 p. m. Thursday. Three Youngville women will appear on the program, Mrs. Charles Johnson speaking on school life in Sweden; Mrs. Maxwell Rhoades, on schools of England, and Miss Edith Husted, missionary worker, will tell of schools in Japan. Their talks will be followed by a special musical number. To conclude, refreshments will be served by the school committee. All members and friends are invited and urged to be in attendance.

**Duff Proposal For
Gasoline Tax Boost**
Meets Opposition

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highways and farm-to-market roads.

Mixed reaction also greeted the remainder of Duff's message highlighted by his calling for no new state taxes. Top GOP leaders praised it to the skies.

Meanwhile Republicans maintained a tight control of all legislative machinery. Their majorities were 35-15 in the senate and 117-91 in the house.

State Sen. M. Harvey Taylor (R-Dauphin), GOP senate chairman, was elected senate president pro tempore. The house speakership went to Rep. Herbert P. Sorg (R-Elk).

In the two weeks until the assembly reconvenes Jan. 17 the two leaders will pick committees to handle all legislation.

**Dewey Maps Pay-As-
You-Go Program**

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reference to federal legislation that "conflicting interests have repeatedly made the passage of such a bill impossible."

Regarding the contemplated sharp rise in New York tax expenditures in the fiscal year beginning April 1, Dewey offered two reasons—inflation and the need to expand state operations.

He saved for his budget message late this month the specific amount he thinks he will be needed to underwrite the program.

The course Dewey charted a broadening of social services was presented in his six years as head of the Republican-controller state administration.

Social Events

LUNCHEON HOSTESS
Mrs. Hugh Barrett was hostess at her home on the Warren-Jamestown road on Tuesday when she entertained a number of friends and neighbors at luncheon. The time was spent in sewing and knitting and gifts were exchanged. Those present included Mrs. Vivian Rodgers, Mrs. Frank Viola, Mrs. Peggy Hunsaker, Mrs. Myrtle Stenberg, Mrs. William Lingo, of Warren, and Mrs. Dolores Salapek, Russell.

**THREE ARE DEAD IN
BRITISH PLANE CRASH**
R. D. Gneir, Jan. 5—(P)—A British South American Airways plane made a forced landing on the Atlantic coast of Brazil today and reports from the area said three persons were killed.

The plane was reported to be carrying 17 persons.

**Market Reaction
To Address Good**

New York, Jan. 5—(P)—Stock market prices slanted upward today soon after the president started delivering his State of the Union message to Congress.

Immediate reaction was a slight dip in a handful of issues, notably in the steel group. Less than half an hour after contents of the speech were made public, prices started to advance. Steel, rail and automobile stocks did better than most other sections of the market.

Wall Street on the whole was fairly well satisfied with the president's program. The recent action of the stock market, which has declined almost to the 1948-49 low, indicated that policies more oppressive to business had been anticipated.

Several points in the president's talk were found noteworthy in the financial community: Absence of reference to an excess profits tax on corporations; retention of some features of the Taft-Hartley Act; authority to control wages.

Market Quotations

New York, Jan. 5—(P)—The stock market bided its time today, waiting for the president to deliver his state of the union message to Congress. Price changes were small and mostly little higher.

A scattering of minus signs were posted. Business was unusually slow and the ticker tape frequently came to a full stop.

New York, Jan. 5—(P)—Noon stocks:
Volume: 280,000.
Air Reduction 19%
Al Chem and Dye 130%
Al Lud 25
American Can 82 1/2
American Car and Fdy 31
Am Car and F P 78
Am and For Pow 1%
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Am Tel and Tel 150 1/4
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Am Woolen 35 1/2
Anacostia Corp 33 1/2
Atlantic Refining 87 1/2
Bald Loco 11 1/2
Balt and Ohio 10 1/2
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Libby McN and L 8 1/2
Loews Inc 14 1/2
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Nat Pow and Lt 6
NY Central RR 12 1/2
Northern Amer Co 15 1/2
Northern Pacific 16 1/2
Packard Motor 4 1/2
Param Pictures 23 1/2
Penn (JC) 37 1/2
Penn Pw and Lt 17 1/2
Penn RR 16 1/2
Phil Pet 55 1/2

Look Out Below!

Lawton Riley almost went for a long drop into the Mississippi River, when his truck skidded on the ice and smashed through the Eads bridge in East St. Louis, Ill. Luckily for Lawton, the back wheels caught on the curb and he was saved the 150-foot plunge when the vehicle stuck like this.

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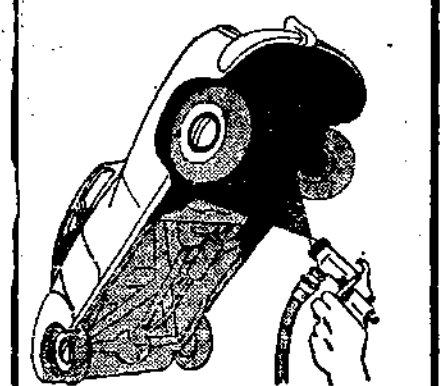
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Hal Boyle's
Column

By HAL BOYLE

New York—(P)—Everybody has a secret ambition—except me. Mine is no secret. It's just plain unlikely.

My ambition is to be the "ten mostest" or the "ten bestest" of something. Just for a year, mother, just for a year. Just what I am picked as the "ten mostest" or the "ten bestest" of—well, I don't care. I just want to be recognized.

My ambition grew slowly. Pretty much like an acorn that lacked vitamin "D." But now it is a mighty oak of yearning.

It began years ago when I was an eager beaver cub reporter. My editor, thinking I was too young to sit around with my heels on the desk, threw me a mimeographed news release and said:

"Gimme couplahunnertonthis." All editors get, in time, to talk pretty much like that. They hate to waste space—even in talking. Translated, what my editor said was:

"Take this horrible piece of tripe, junior, and boll it down to 200 hundred words—if you can. And when you are through, I will probably throw it into the waste basket anyway."

The news release contained a well-known fashion leader's selection of what she considered the ten best-dressed women in America. For some reason—it must have been a dull day indeed on the Lord's green footstool—my piece got printed.

Well, as writers sometimes say when they don't know what to say next—the rest is history.

Picking lists of the "ten best this" or the "ten best that" became a kind of American industry. Nobody who wanted to pretend they were anybody could let a year pass without making their annual selections of the "top ten something or other."

And I became the first man in American newspaper history to reach the rank of a specialist in this field of reporting. For one reason or another—and I'd just as soon not learn the reason—the editor always threw these hand-outs to my desk. Often, he added them up in a ball before throwing them—adding injury to insult.

It was thus I reached the peak in this fast-paced, nerve-tingling game. I became known as "the ten best" editor. I wrote 'em all—from the ten best marble players since Adam to the ten Siamese cats that looked most like Adolf Hitler.

Insidiously the idea crept into my mind:

"Why can't you get on one of these lists yourself sometime, Boyle? Why don't they ever name you on one?"

And then, as frustrated ambition fed upon itself:

"To heck with just being one of ten on any single list. Why not be the ten best of everything? Why not be all ten, and leave a name marking will 'remember forever'?"

I can't say I've made an inch of progress. But I have found out my most dangerous rival. It's Dwight D. Eisenhower. In 1948 General Ike was picked by the National Laugh Week Foundation as the "man with the most virile laugh." The institute for the study and development of male magnetism chose him as one of "the nine most magnetic men in America. And, at year-end, glamorous Mrs. Veronica Dengel, the beauty engineer, gave "Ike" the nod as "one of the nation's ten best-dressed males."

The general also made a number of other lists, including political polls on "who would you most like to see in the White House?" but we won't go into this any more at the moment.

Obviously "Ike" is leading in the "ten mostest" and the "ten bestest" field. It looks like he'll win the race before I even get on my first list. I told my wife it looked like she was married to an utter failure.

"If it makes you feel any better," said Frances, "you are all ten of the husbands I would like to see get home on time at least two days in a row sometime in 1949." Aren't wives wonderful?

"OLD MAN OF MOUNTAINS"

The chief of the Assassin sect, in 11th century Persia, bore the title of "Old Man of the Mountains," according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.

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NOTICE

In accordance with Rule II (2) of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, notice is hereby given that on October 29, 1948, the undersigned made application to the State Board of Law Examiners at Philadelphia, to be examined at Pittsburgh on March 3 and 4, 1949, for admission to the Bar of the Supreme Court and to the Bars of the Courts of Common Pleas and the Orphans' Court of Warren County.

Walter Scott Calderwell, III, 15 Verbeck Street, Warren, Pennsylvania, a registered law student in the Law School of Harvard University, and the office of William Glassman, Esq., of Warren, Pennsylvania.

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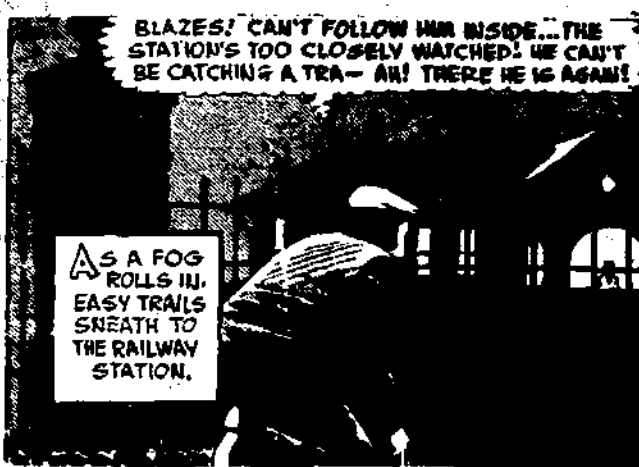
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"So long as business does this," Mr. Truman said in a personal appearance before a joint session of the two houses, "it will be contributing to continued prosperity, and it will have the help and encouragement of government."

Mr. Truman laid before the new 81st congress virtually every recommendation he made in the 351 speeches of his 31,500 miles of campaigning for the presidency.

Included were calls for farm price supports and adequate storage space for wheat and other crops—two items he hammered hard in winning farm states which usually go Republican.

He asked, too, for repeal of the Taft-Hartley labor law, which he blasted across the country as unfair to working men. He proposed re-enactment of the old Wagner act with, however, prohibitions against "jurisdictional strikes and unjustifiable secondary boycotts."

He topped off a message sure to stir controversy in and out of congress with a new call for enactment of the entire slate of civil rights proposals he advocated last year.

Then, they not only failed of passage, but brought a cleavage in Democratic ranks and cost him four southern states.

"I stand squarely behind those proposals," he said.

The proposals include an anti-lunching law, repeal of the poll tax as a requirement for voting, prohibitions against discrimina-

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**Maternity Hospital
Has Unusual Boarder**

The nurses of the maternity department of the Warren General Hospital have had a boarder for the past two months. When the little man first arrived everyone was a little skeptical as to how he would turn out.

Little boy, Richard John Petrunev, born November 3, 1948, had arrived two and one-half months early and because of his fragile condition was not weighed or disturbed. He was placed in the incubator and given continuous oxygen. By the seventeenth day he weighed two pounds, two and one-half ounces; but he seemed healthy and thrived on his one-fourth ounce feedings.

Due to the excellent nursing care the little man now weighs six pounds, one ounce. Within the next few days he will be leaving his many nurse friends and make his home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Petrunev of Sheffield.

At the same time, the chief executive said the government "must work with industry" as well as with labor and the farmers "to keep our industry running at full speed."

Under the type of policies he wants continued, he said, "our private enterprise system has reached new heights of production."

In support of his tax recommendations, the president said "it is essential not only that the federal budget be balanced, but also that there be a substantial surplus to permit a sizeable reduction in the national debt, which now stands at \$262,000,000,000."

He did not specify the nature of the "additional corporate taxes" he wants imposed or how much of the four billion he would raise by this levy.

**Claim Chiang Over-
tures But "Delay Action"**

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No Communist official or organization was quoted by the Red News Agency, which, presumably, made the statement on its own.

However, competing agencies here and elsewhere took the broad-cast to mean that both sides now may be entering into a favorite Chinese pastime—bargaining.

Newspapers in Shanghai and Nanking turned the blast of their peace offensive on the government. Seven more public organizations in Shanghai sent messages to Yenan and Nanking urging the belligerents to come to terms.

The peace clamor has spread generally over the whole country with Nationalist planes in North China asking them to stop fighting and talk peace. Only around Tientsin, a city of 2,000,000, was any hostility reported. That was only minor.

A report that United States Marines based at Tsingtao would move from shore bases to ships in the harbor cropped up again.

Vice Adm. Oscar C. Badger, commander of U. S. naval forces in the western Pacific, said he had terminated discussions with Chinese authorities about turning back Shantung University property used as a billet for 3,000 Marines. He did not say how far the discussions had progressed.

Message Highlights

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a fair employment practice law.)

FOREIGN

Restore the full effectiveness of the reciprocal trade agreements act whittled down by Congress last year. "Open our doors to displaced persons without unfair discrimination."

MILITARY

Maintain armed forces "sufficient to deter aggression." Pass universal training legislation.

ADMINISTRATION NOTICE

Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Reuben E. Dyke, late of the Borough of Sugar Grove, Warren County, Pa., deceased, having been this day granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said Estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will present them to the undersigned, properly authenticated for settlement.

GEORGE H. DYKE,
North Warren, Pa., Executor
Stone and Ellick, Attorneys
December 6, 1948.
Dec. 8-15-22-29-Jan. 5-12-61

**Body of Warren War Casualty
Arriving Thursday Evening**

Felice Graziano, 1109 Spring street, has received word from the Department of the Army that the body of his son, S/Sgt. Thomas Graziano, will arrive in Warren Thursday evening from the Brooklyn, N. Y., Quartermaster Depot.

Removal will be made to the Leo D. Gibson Funeral Home, where friends may pay their respects on Friday from 10 a. m. until the hour of services at 2 p. m. the same day. Interment will be made in St. Joseph's cemetery. Friends are asked to kindly omit flowers.

S/Sgt. Graziano was born in Warren on June 2, 1920, and died in Winterborn, Germany, on April 10, 1945.

He was a member of St. Joseph's church, served it as an altar boy, and attended its parochial school. Later he attended Warren High School and was employed for one and one-half years by Struthers-Wells.

He enlisted in the armed services in February, 1943, at Erie, and served as a member of the Military Police at Fort Monroe until 1944, when he was transferred to Camp Roberts and met overseas with Company G, 309th Infantry, 78th Division.

Besides his father, he leaves the following brothers and sisters: Frank J. and Peter Graziano, Warren; Ann, Theresa, Joseph and Thomas Graziano, at home; Victor Graziano, Tulsa, Okla.

Obituary

Unless otherwise stated, visiting hours at Warren's funeral homes are from 10 a. m. to 12 p. m. and 7 to 9 p. m.

MRS. JOSEPHINE NELSON

Services were held at the Templeton Funeral Home at 2 p. m. Tuesday for Mrs. Josephine Nelson, Cobham Park road, who passed away at her home on Friday morning. The Rev. Nore G. Gustafson, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, conducted the rites and the following served as bearers for interment in the family plot in Lakeview cemetery, Jameson, N. Y. R. C. Dunn, Oscar Johnson, Edward Nelson and Charles Nelson.

Attending the rites from away were Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Dunn, Thomas and James Dunn, Fluvanna, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Nelson, Jameson, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Dora Keller, Sheffield, in addition to many friends from the Cobham Park road area.

GRACE I. PATCHEN

Services were held at the Peterson Funeral Home at 2 p. m. Tuesday for Mrs. Grace I. Patchen, 6318 Kilmer street, Cheverly, Md. The Rev. Mr. Gordon V. Woods, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene, officiated and interment was made in Barnes cemetery, the following serving as bearers: Herman Hannold, Guy Frick, Harry Himes, Melvin Huchabone, John Logan and Carl Stranburg.

In attendance from away were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bergstrom, Mr. and Mrs. Hilmer Bergstrom, Janet Bergstrom, Myrtle Fogel, Kane; Mr. and Mrs. Lysle Patchen, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Patchen, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie E. Patchen, Bradford; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gens, Wayne and Marjorie Gens, Sioux Falls, N. Y.; Ivan Lee, Niagara Falls, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne DuMont, Cheverly, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bergstrom, Ft. Bragg, N. C.; Clair Young, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Young, Mrs. Bertha Reeter, Mrs. Evelyn Burlingame, Mrs. James Young, Saybrook.

EDWARD W. SHAFER

Services will be held at 7:30 o'clock this evening in the Lutz Funeral Home for Edward W. Shafer, Youngsville victim of the early Tuesday train-truck fatality at the Penlee railroad crossing west of town. Dr. Robert S. Steen, minister of First Presbyterian church, will conduct the rites. Removal will be made to the Evans Funeral Home in East Springfield for further services at 8:30 p. m. Friday and interment will be made at that place.

SUE I. BALDENSPERGER

Funeral services in memory of Mrs. Sue I. Baldensperger, 1107 Pennsylvania avenue, east, were held at the family home at 3:30 p. m. Tuesday. Rev. Harold Knapenberger, pastor of Grace Methodist church, officiating. Bearers for interment in Oakland cemetery were: Mrs. Seaward Salisbury, Oswego, N. Y.; Mrs. Frank Moore, Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Grove, Mrs. Josepa Mason, Townville.

Those who came from away were Mrs. Inez Newcomb, Cleveland, O.; Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Nelson, Bradford; Milton Dunn, Sheffield; Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Arno, Oswego, N. Y.; Mrs. Frank Moore, Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Grove, Mrs. Josepa Mason, Townville.

WALLACE R. WILCOX

The body of Wallace R. Wilcox, 57 year old former Youngsville resident, arrived last evening from Safford, Ariz., where he died December 30. Removal has been made to the Young Funeral Home, where friends are being received at the usual hours and from where services will be held at two o'clock Thursday afternoon. Rev. E. W. Chitester, pastor of Youngsville Methodist church, will officiate and interment will be made in Youngsville cemetery.

Mr. Wilcox was born on a farm near Youngsville on March 15, 1892, and lived there until March 1946. He was the last of the Thomas Wilcox family; his mother, Minnie, having died July 2, 1944, and his father on February 14, 1942. Two brothers also preceded him in death, Robert, killed in action in World War I, October 3, 1918, and Benjamin, who died in Warren General Hospital on July 22, 1918. His death occurred in the Ellsworth Hospital in Safford, Ariz., on December 30.

EVENTS TONIGHT

6:00, Shrine Club annual, Town Barn.
7:30, Week of Prayer, Salem church.
8:00, Catholic Daughters, YV.
8:00, LOOM Lodge.
8:00, Starbuck PTA.

SMALL REPUBLIC

The little Republic of San Marino has an area of only 38 square miles, or approximately one-half that of the District of Columbia.

Times Topics

INSTALL CLOCK

A large electric clock has been installed near the check-outs at the A&P foodstore here for the convenience of customers.

RESUMING GAMES

Announcement is made that the weekly party with games will be resumed at the North Warren community house at 7:30 p. m. Thursday, a recess having been taken during the holiday season.

SCOUT COMMISSIONERS

A regular meeting of the Commissioners Staff of the Warren County Boy Scout Council will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Scout office here. Plans for a mobilization day for Scouts will be discussed.

MOTOR TROUBLE

A big truck, loaded with snow fence, blocked the center of Pennsylvania avenue, west, in Times Square for more than an hour today when the motor conked out. Bolough police directed traffic around the big vehicle while repairs were being made.

RIVER DOWN

The Allegheny river level at Warren today was at the five-foot mark, a drop of two feet from the seven-foot stage that has prevailed for the past several days. However, rain and melting snow is expected to start the river rising again. No danger of flood is apparent at this time, however, observers said.

LINCOLN UNIT

A very interesting program has been planned for the meeting of the Lincoln P.T.A. to be held at the Clarendon Heights school building at 8 p. m. Thursday. Three Youngsville women will appear on the program, Mrs. Charles Johnson speaking on school life in Sweden; Mrs. Maxwell Rhodes, on schools of England, and Miss Edith Husted, missionary worker, will tell of schools in Japan. Their talks will be followed by a special musical number. To conclude, refreshments will be served by the school committee. All members and friends are invited and urged to be in attendance.

**Duff Proposal For
Gasoline Tax Boost
Meets Opposition**

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highways and farm-to-market roads.

Mixed reaction also greeted the remainder of Duff's message highlighted by his calling for no new state taxes. Top GOP leaders praised it to the skies.

However, Republicans maintained tight control of all the legislative machinery. Their majorities were 85-15 in the senate and 117-91 in the house.

State Sen. M. Harvey Taylor (R-Dauphin), GOP state chairman, was elected senate president pro tempore. The house speakership went to Rep. Herbert F. Sorg (R-Elk).

In the two weeks until the assembly reconvenes Jan. 17 the two leaders will pick committees to handle all legislation.

**Dewey Maps Pay-As-
You-Go Program**

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reference to federal legislation that "conflicting interests have repeatedly made the passage of such a bill impossible."

Regarding the contemplated sharp rise in New York's expenditures in the fiscal year beginning April 1, Dewey asked two reasons—inflation and the need to expand state operations.

He saved for his budget message late this month the specific amount he thinks he will be needed to underwrite the program.

The course Dewey charted a broadcasting of social services unprecedented in his six years as head of the Republican-controller state administration.

Social Events

LUNCHEON HOSTESS

Mrs. Hugh Barrett was hostess at her home on the Warren-Jamestown road on Tuesday when she entertained a number of friends and neighbors at luncheon. The time was spent in sewing and knitting and gifts were exchanged. Those present included Mrs. Vivian Rodgers, Mrs. Frank Viola, Mrs. Peggy Hunter, Mrs. Myrtle Stenberg, Mrs. William Langlo, of Warren, and Mrs. Dolores Salapek, Russell.

**THREE ARE DEAD IN
BRITISH PLANE CRASH**

Rio De Janeiro, Jan. 5—(AP)—A British South American Airways plane made a forced landing on the Atlantic coast of Brazil today and reports from the area said three persons were killed.

The plane was reported to be carrying 17 persons.

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**Market Reaction
To Address Good**

New York, Jan. 5—(AP)—Stock market prices slanted upward today soon after the president started delivering his State of the Union message to Congress.

Immediate reaction was a slight dip in a handful of issues, notably in the steel group. Less than half an hour after contents of the speech were made public, prices started to advance. Steel, rail and automobile stocks did better than most other sections of the market.

Wall Street on the whole was fairly well satisfied with the president's program. The recent action of the stock market, which has declined almost to the 1948-49 low, indicated that policies more oppressive to business had been anticipated.

Several points in the president's talk were found noteworthy in the financial community: "Absence of reference to an excess profits tax on corporations; retention of some features of the Taft-Hartley Act; authority to control wages."

Market Quotations

New York, Jan. 5—(AP)—The stock market bided its time today, waiting for the president to deliver his state of the union message to congress. Price changes were small and mostly a little higher. A spattering of minus signs were posted. Business was unusually slow and the ticker tape frequently came to a full stop.

New York, Jan. 5—(AP)—Noon stocks:

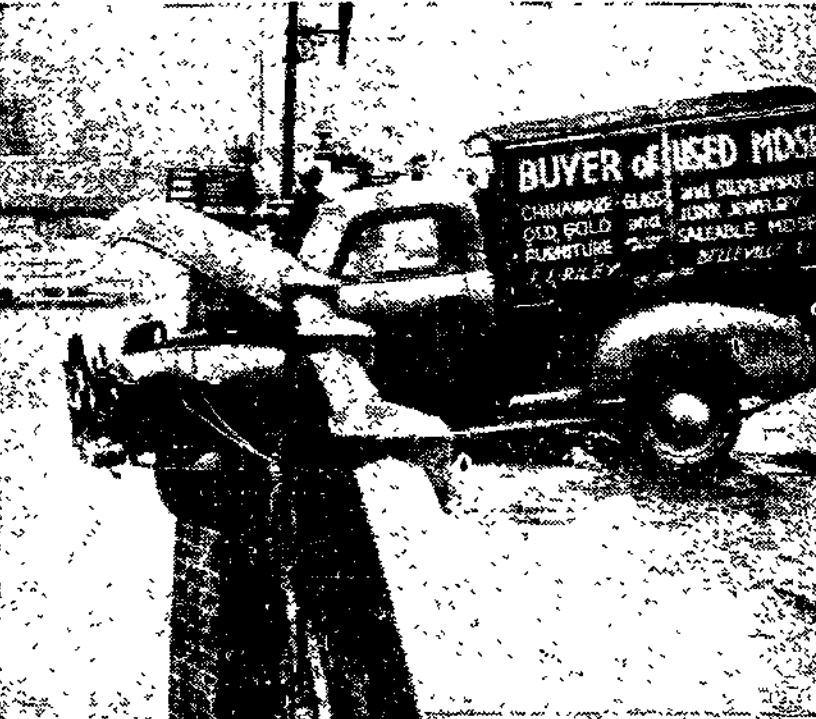
Volume: 280,000.	
Air Reduction	19 1/2
Al Chem and Dye	180
Al Lud	22 1/2
American	82 1/2
American Car and Fdy	31
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Am Car and Fdy	78
Am and For Pow	1 1/2
Am Rad and St S	14 1/2
Am Tel and Tel	150 1/4
Am Tobacco	61 1/2
Am Woolen	35 1/2
Anacoda Copper	38 1/2
Atlantic Refining	87 1/2
Bald Loco	11 1/2
Balt and Ohio	10 1/2
Barnsdall	44 1/2
Bendix Aviation	33 1/2
Beth Steel	31 1/2
Budd Co	8 1/2
Ches and Ohio	32 1/2
Chrysler Corp	52
Colum Gas	10 1/2
Coml Solvents	16 1/2
Cons Edison	22 1/2
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Curtiss - Wright	7 1/2
Douglas Aircraft	50 1/2
Du Pont de N	180 1/2
Eastman Kodak	44
El Auto-Lite	40 1/2
Erie R R	13
General Electric	38 1/2
General Foods	40
Gen Motors	58
Gen Pub Util	11 1/2
Goodyear T and R	42 1/2
Graham - Paige Mot	2 1/2
Greyhound Corp	10 1/2
Hercules Powder	44 1/2
Hershey Chocolate	27 1/2
Intl Harvester	28 1/2
Int Tel and Tel	9 1/2
Johns-Manville	38 1/2
Kennecott Cop	30 1/2
Kresge (SS)	37
Libby and L	8 1/2
Loew's Inc	14 1/2
Murphy (GC)	37 1/2
Nat Biscuit	30 1/2
Nat Distillers	17 1/2
Nat Pow and Lt	5
NY Central RR	12 1/2
Northern Amer Co	15 1/2
Northern Pacific	18 1/2
Packard Motor	4 1/2
Param Pictures	23
Pennney (JC)	48 1/2
Penn Fw and Lt	17 1/2
Penn R R	16 1/2
Phil Fed	55 1/2

Dimes Go to Her Head



On behalf of the March of Dimes, Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, left, accepts the "1949 Dime Hat" from Dorothy Gordon in New York. Miss Gordon, a hat designer, created the novel chapeau for the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis' annual drive. It has over 400 dimes on it. They'll be turned over to the campaign.

Look Out Below!



Lawton Riley almost went for a long drop into the Mississippi River, when his truck skidded on the ice and smashed through the Eads bridge in East St. Louis, Ill. Luckily for Lawton, the back wheels caught on the curb and he was saved the 150-foot plunge when the vehicle stuck here this.

PITTSBURGH PRODUCE

Pittsburgh, Jan. 5—(AP)—(US DA)—Produce demand slow. Apples, 2 cars. About steady. U. S. No. 1 bu baskets Pennsylvania 2.50-2.75, New York 2.50-2.75, New York McIntosh and Laramie 2.50-2.75, New York 2.50-2.75, Eastern crates New York McIntosh 3.25-3.50, Corl lates 3.00; Virginia Rome Brct lates 3.00.

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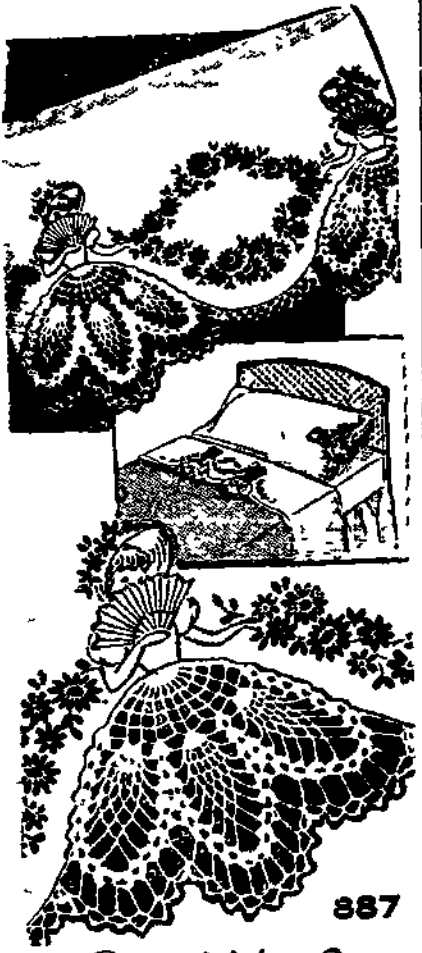
Radio tubes of ceramic materials, a recent development by scientists, offer many advantages in producing tiny radio waves a few inches in length. Most radio tubes now are made of glass, though some are constructed with metal envelopes.

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Hey, Kid, It's a Fake



At the age of 20 months, Ricky Andrews of Chicago is about to fall for a woman's wiles. In this case, his mother's. She wants him to eat his mush and Ricky don't wanna. So she tricks the poor, innocent kid with this new plastic gadget, called a Puppy Tub. She puts some of the cereal in Puppy Tub's mouth. "See, puppy likes it," she says. Actually, the stuff goes right back into the bowl.

LAURA WHEELER
DESIGNSHal Boyle's
Column

By HAL BOYLE

New York—(AP)—Everybody has a secret ambition—except me. Mine is no secret. It's just plain unlikely.

My ambition is to be the "ten mostest" or the "ten bestest" of something. Just for a year, mother, just for a year. Just what I am picked as the "ten mostest" or the "ten bestest" of—well, I don't care. I just want to be recognized.

My ambition grew slowly. Pretty much like an acorn that lacked vitamin "D." But now it is a mighty oak of yearning. It began years ago when I was an eager beaver cub reporter. My editor, thinking I was too young to sit around with my heels on the desk, threw me a mimeographed news release and said:

"Gimme couplahunnertonthis."

All editors get, in time, to talk pretty much like that. They hate to waste space—even in talking. Translated, what my editor said was:

"Take this horrible piece of tripe, junior, and boll it down to 200 hundred words—if you can. And when you are through, I will probably throw it into the waste basket anyway."

The news release contained a well-known fashion leader's selection of what she considered the ten best-dressed women in America. For some reason—it must have been a dull day indeed, on the Lord's green footstool—my piece got printed.

Well, as writers sometimes say when they don't know what to say next—the rest is history.

Picking lists of the "ten best this" or the "ten best that" became a kind of American industry. Nobody who wanted to pretend they were anybody could let a year pass without making their annual selections of the "top ten something or other."

And I became the first man in American newspaper history to reach the rank of a specialist in this field of reporting. For one reason or another—and I'd just as soon not learn the reason—the editor always threw these hand-outs to my desk. Often, he wadded them up in a ball before throwing them—adding injury to insult.

It was thus I reached the peak in this fast-paced, nerve-tingling game. I became known as "the ten best" editor. I wrote 'em all—from the ten best marble players since Adam to the ten Siamese cats that looked most like Adolf Hitler.

Insidiously the idea crept into my mind:

"Why can't you get on one of these lists yourself sometime, Boyle? Why don't they ever name you on one?"

And then, as frustrated ambition fed upon itself:

"To heck with just being one of ten on any single list. Why not be all ten, and leave a name mankind will remember forever?"

I can't say I've made an inch of progress. But I have found out my most dangerous rival. It's Dwight D. Eisenhower.

In 1948 General Ike was picked by the National Laugh Week Foundation as the "man with the most virile laugh." The institute for the study and development of male magnetism chose him as one of "the nine most magnetic men in America. And, at year-end, glamorous Mrs. Veronica Dengel, the beauty engineer, gave "Ike" the nod as "one of the nation's ten best-dressed males."

The general also made a number of other lists, including political polls on "who would you most like to see in the White House?" but we won't go into this any more at the moment.

Obviously "Ike" is leading in the "ten mostest" and the "ten bestest" field. It looks like he'll win the race before I even get on my first list. I told my wife it looked like she was married to an utter failure.

"If it makes you feel any better," said Frances, "you are all ten of the husbands I would like to see get home on time at least two days in a row sometime in 1949."

Aren't wives wonderful?

"OLD MAN OF MOUNTAINS"
The chief of the Assassin sect, in 11th century Persia, bore the title of "Old Man of the Mountains," according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.

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NOTICE
In accordance with Rule II (2) of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, notice is hereby given that on October 29, 1948, the undersigned made application to the State Board of Law Examiners at Philadelphia, to be examined at Pittsburgh on March 3 and 4, 1949, for admission to the Bar of the Supreme Court and to the Bars of the Courts of Common Pleas and the Orphans' Court of Warren County.

Walter Scott Calderwell, III, 15 Verbeck Street, Warren, Pennsylvania, a registered law student in the Law School of Harvard University, and the office of William Glasman, Esq., of Warren, Pennsylvania.

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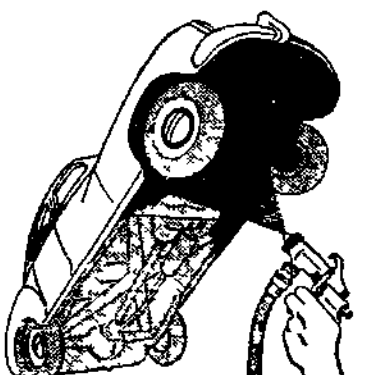
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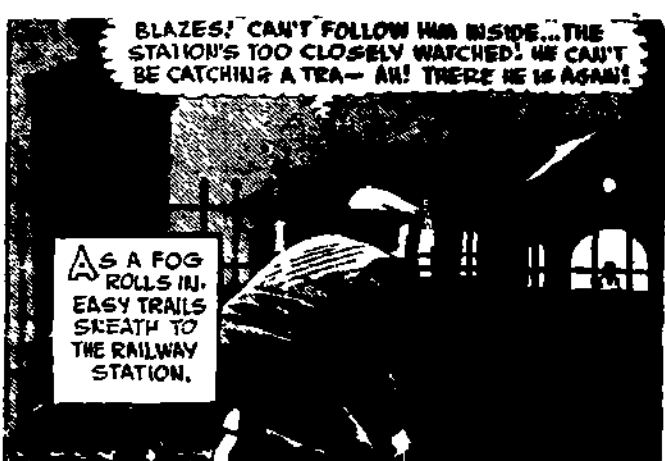
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LESLIE TURNER, BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



BY EDGAR MARTIN



SPORT NEWS

Warren Dragons Nip Kane Wolves 38 to 37 In See-Saw Tussle

Warren High Dragons nipped the heels of the Kane Wolves, 38 to 37, in a tense, spine-tingling battle in jam-packed Kane gym last night.

The scoring edge slipped back and forth between the two clubs throughout the contest, and a fervent prayer from ardent team followers rode each shot at the scoring ring from the open court and from the charity stripe. It was a ding-dong battle right down to the wire with Kane getting in its final scoring kick with less than 15 seconds of playing time remaining on the clock.

The win was the second this season for the Blue and White basketballers over Kane and their 10th triumph in 11 starts. First battle between the teams on Beauty court also was a close affair with the final score reading 31 to 29.

The Dragons, defending champions of PIAA District 10, open their quest for the 1948-49 crown Friday night when they meet the Titusville Rockets in a Section Two tussle at Titusville.

The starting five for Warren—Chuck Reese, Bob Brumagin, Dick Christensen, Ted Shattuck and Gail Nelson—played the entire game, while Kane used but two substitutes.

Scoring opened with Bud Daly of Kane and Reese for Warren each sinking two free throws. Jim Boward failed on a layup for the Wolves, but Brumagin quickly matched it. Erickson, towering center for the home team, slotted a free throw, the Massmen went into the lead for the first time when Christensen connected on a long arch. Boward hit twice and Jim Thompson once to put Kane ahead, 11-6. Christensen connected on a close-in shot as the quarter ended with Kane ahead, 11-8.

In the first four minutes of the second stanza, the only scoring was a field goal by Reese for Warren and a twin-decker by Erickson for Kane. But before intermission, Warren had gained seven points on two baskets by Shattuck and one by Christensen. Kane collected six units on free throws by Thompson, Daly and Forsythe. At the half, the Wolves were ahead, 19-17.

Shattuck tied things up right off the bat in the third frame with a bucket. Nelson and Brumagin added fielders and Christensen slotted a free throw to give the Dragons a five-point edge in 24-19 scoring. Boward and Shattuck matched baskets and P. B. Erickson did the same to make the tally, Warren 33, Kane 20. Boward found the mark off the pivot and added a free throw. Daly and Kerchner also swished the net from the open court to give Kane a 30-28 advantage at the three-quarters flag.

Three minutes of the tense final period slipped away with Boward connecting on a foul for Kane and Boward slotted a rebound shot to make the score Kane 33, Warren 30. Points came few and far between for both teams after that, but Nelson arched a long heave before the officials' time out with three minutes left. That made it Kane 33, Warren 32.

Reese then counted from the wide and Christensen followed it up with a shot out in front of the board to give Warren a 35-33 advantage. Kerchner kept Kane in the running with a layup. Then Brumagin broke loose and sunk the clincher for Warren, although Erickson came through with a basket in the closing seconds to cut the victory margin to one slim point.

CLOSE SERIES

Whisker close decisions between Warren and Kane high school basketball squads apparently are habit-forming. Look at the record:

1947-48 campaign, Kane 37, Warren 36; Warren 29, Kane 28.

This year: Warren 31, Kane 29; Warren 38, Kane 37.

That's enough to add gray hairs to any coach's thatch, but the fans apparently love it, if the turn-away crowds at every clash between the Dragons and the Wolves are any indication.

Dragonettes Romp To 35-26 Triumph

Leading their opponents from the outset, Warren High Dragonettes snatched their 10th win in 11 starts by scoring a 35-26 victory over the Kane Seconds in an exciting preliminary game on the Kane court last night.

The Dragonettes outscored the Little Wolves in all four quarters to give them an easy victory. Scoring honors were divided evenly for Gail Bimler and Stud Simpson having eight points each. Their credit and Bob Foley, Harry Danielson and Fran Griffin, having seven, six, and five units respectively.

Warren Ends

G	F	Pts
Reese, f	4	8
Brumagin, f	3	6
Christensen, f	4	8
Shattuck, g	4	8
Nelson, g	2	4
Totals	17	43

Kane Ends

G	F	Pts
Thompson, f	2	4
Kerchner, f	2	4
Erickson, c	3	6
Boward, g	2	4
Daly, g	2	4
Forsythe, f	1	2
Prase, c	0	0
Totals	16	30

Golden Glove Ducats Available in Erie

Joe Pazio, former local boxer, who has entered three Warren boys and a Bradford leather-slinging in the Golden Glove tournament at Erie Jan. 15, 14 and 15, said today ringside seats are being sold in advance at \$1.75 each, and may be obtained by writing to Art Monahan of the Erie Dispatch sports department. General admission seats at a dollar each will be available at the gate.

According to word received here, all of the reserved seats will be sold in advance and none will be available at the gate.

Entered in the novice classes for the tourney by Pazio are Rudy Ahlgrer, Gail Johnston and Chuck Hahn, all of Warren, and John Herzog of Bradford.

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BOWLING

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS

St. Marys took the lead in the opening round of the second high school Catholic Daughters tenpin league race by trimming Villa Maria, 3-1, on Penn slides last night. A second match ended in an even split between Mercyhurst and Holy Cross.

High individual performers included Ester Matthews with 171, 154-114-4 for Mercyhurst; Min Gerardi with 113-160-129-402 for St. Marys; and Stella Cerro with 125-138-132-395 for Villa Maria.

Standings

W. L. Pts.	
St. Marys	3 1 750
Holy Cross	2 2 500
Mercyhurst	2 2 500
Villa Maria	1 3 250
VNN Vp	

Leaders

High single game—Lois Kifer, 207.
High three game—Lois Kifer, 467.
High team game—St. Marys, 710.
High team total—St. Marys, 1945.

Honor Roll

Charmion, 147; Kamen, 135; D'Angelo, 136; Cora, 138; M. Gray, 137; M. Gerardi, 150; Matthews, 164; R. Gerardi, 169; Valone, 138; Owen, 139; Kifer, 138.

JUNIOR INDUSTRIAL

N. Kuhlman racked up a new Junior Industrial tenpin league three-game mark of 619 sticks (190-218-211) on Penn slides to lead his team, Hall's Garage, to a four-point triumph over Norton Wood Products.

In other league scraps, Pepsi-Cola topped Hammond Iron, 3-1; the pace-setting Sunray Electric whitewashed the Tidouette Hunting and Fishing Club; and Cropp Engineers fashioned a 4-0 setback for R. W. Norriss Co.

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Standings

	W.	L.	Pts.
Sunray Electric	34	12	766
Cropps	32	14	751
Norriss Co.	32	24	571
Cropp Engrs.	31	25	554
Hammond Iron	29	27	518
Hunts & Fish	29	27	518
Halle's Garage	28	28	500
Norton's	22	34	392
Pepsi-Cola	10	46	179

Leaders

High single game—Ray Sly, 250.
High three games—N. Kuhlman, 619.
High team game—Sunray Electric, 244.
High team total—Sunray Electric, 2670.

Honor Roll

C. Barrett 189-211; C. Caldwell 201; N. Kuhlman 218-211-190; (W. Drenmann 190-187-200; F. Rosen-tatter 216; L. Zebriest 178; B. Jay 180; F. Kabet 185; S. McMichael 176-184; R. Dalrymple 185; J. Drenmann 184; J. Kifer 194; Sand-rach 178; M. DeMarle 194; J. Ran-dall 187; E. McClement 176-197; R. Sly 178-180; F. Germondo 196; W. Turner 189; B. Senger 188; H. Knight 179-179; F. Kernick 185.

MOOSE LEAGUE

Harvey and Careys downed Elmhurst Scores, 3-1, and Warren Neon Signs blanketed Flowerland Greenhouse as the Moose Club tenpin league resumed firing after a two-week layoff for the holidays.

J. Waples, anchor for Neon Signs, was high scorer for the evening with a 546 total on games of 178, 180 and 182. C. Sorensen, solving the cleanup slot for the drugstore squad, put together line-scores of 143, 156 and 223 for a 525 aggregate.

Scoring:

Harvey-Carey 756 762 557-2375
Elmhurst ... 724 796 759-2278

Neon Signs ... 787 826 790-2413
Flowerland ... 663 774 759-2196

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Charge "Fix" Attempted In College Game

New York, Jan. 5.—(P)—Four men were under arrest on a bribery charge today after a college basketball player told authorities they tried to get him to "fix" a game.

District Attorney Frank S. Hogan said last night, following four months' investigation by New York City detectives, came after David Shapiro of Brooklyn, co-captain of George Washington University's cage squad, had reported the bribe offer.

Hogan praised Shapiro, a 25-year-old GI law student who won four battle stars in World War II, for his courage and honesty in working with the district attorney's office until the arrests were made.

Charged with violation of a section of the penal law covering bribery of participants in amateur sports and with conspiracy were: Joseph Aronowitz, 35, a cloth cutter of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Philip Klein, 24, a linotype operator, also of Brooklyn.

Jack Levy, 40, of Miami, Fla.; William Rybin, 43, of New York. Hogan said Shapiro told him that the four men had offered him \$1,000 to make certain his team lost to Manhattan College at Madison Square Garden last night by a lopsided score.

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Lineups:

SHEFFIELD	FG	FT	TP
Moldovan, f	8	2	18
Bires, f	4	0	8
Messel, c	0	1	1
Wagner, g	5	1	11
Albaugh, g	1	2	4
McElhatten, c	2	0	4
Totals	20	6	46

YOUNGSVILLE		FG	FT	TP
Borton, f	.....	5	1	11
Warner, c	.....	1	1	8
Conner, c	.....	5	1	11
Freeborough, g	.....	3	1	7
Chappel, g	.....	0	1	1
Haight, f	1	1	3
Totals		15	6	36

Score by quarters:

Stiefel	7	9	16	14	46
Yongsville	8	10	10	7	

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John Salamon, Ernie Stewart and Otto Lynch were the big guns during the first half campaign of the X-Servicemen's tenpin league, which operates Monday nights on Arcade alleys, official league averages disclosed today.

Warren Water Company team, rapped the sticks for a 174 average in 42 games. While Stewart was just a step behind with a 173 clip for 41 games. Lynch, anchor for the Busy Bees, was credited with a 172 average in 42 tilts.

The official averages, listed by teams:

Style Shop; J. Snyder 169; D. Ponsol 158; G. Pring 151; B. Jordan 140; F. Landers 145; L. Owen 135.

Warren Land Company; W. Hill 160; T. Marasco 161; D. Sleeman 139; P. Johnson 149; R. Sly 162; M. Gelotte 162.

Hanna Motor Sales; J. Raleigh 157; G. Miller 148; C. Carlson 152; D. Mong 140; F. Pickard 144; J. Pierce 161.

Mountain Top; C. Valentine 156; L. Barone 141; P. Gibson 145; D. Kifer 138; E. Sedon 164; M. Gotto 169.

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Penelope; E. Hollingshead 153; R. Barney 137; L. Clifford 149; J. Cases 139; R. Irvin 145; H. Cooper 166; J. Schultz 135.

Warren Water Company; V. Landers 167; J. Rowley 136; H. Landers 123; D. Lawrence 152; J. Salamon 174; M. Hays 139.

BASKETBALL RESULTS

High School

Warren 38, Kane 37
Warren Seconds 35, Kane Seconds 26.
Sheffield 46, Youngsville 36.
Erie Prep 48, Milbrook 31.
Erie East 31, Erie Strong Vincent 30 (overtime).
Erie Academy 37, Corry 32.
Union City 37, McKean 35.
Lancaster 51, Cochranton 45.
Saegertown 53, Conneaut Lake 19.

Stoneboro 44, Randolph 34.
Towndale 33, Springboro 28, (overtime).
Erie Tech 42, Titusville 31.
Spartansburg 62, St. Edwards, Corry, 6.

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Erie 38, Vandergrift 30.
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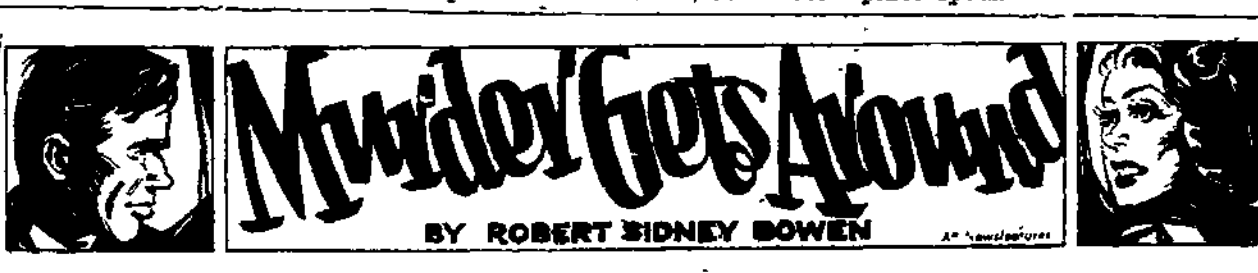
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Hurdler Named As Athlete With Outstanding Comeback

New York, Jan. 5.—(P)—Harison Dillard, the nation's premier hurdler and one of the world's fastest humans, was named today as the athlete who made the outstanding comeback of 1948.

The great Baldwin Wallace track man was cited for his remarkable 100-meter victory in the London Olympics following his failure to qualify for hurdles in the Olympic tryouts.

He defeated his teammate, Barney Ewell, in the 100-meters try, setting the Olympic mark of 10.8 seconds in 1932. He was



Chapter 13

WAS that knowledge startling? In a way, yes. And in a way, no. I mean, I had a hunch Parrish had done the room blitz job. What I thought about when the little geezer stopped talking was whether or not proof that my hunch was correct was worth thirty-five bucks of my money. I still couldn't make up my mind when he pulled me back from my thought train.

"That help any?" he asked, but his eyes were focussed on the bill still in my right hand.

"Maybe," I said, and gave it to him. "Sure you can't remember what the others looked like?"

He shook his head firmly.

"Straight, Mister," he said. "You're a right guy, and if I could I sure would. But I can't. They was just guys with clothes on. The last one, though, anybody would half remember at least. On account of that mug of his. But the other?"

"Nope."

I turned to walk out of the room, but suddenly a screwy sort of invisible force seemed to make me stop and turn around again. I had the impression all at once that something was screaming out loud for attention. What, I hadn't the faintest.

I stood there so long just staring at the mess in the room that the bold-headed little geezer started sniffling from one foot to the other, and shooting me snap looks that became increasingly filled with fear-quaking apprehension. Finally he couldn't stand it any longer.

"What's the matter, Mister?" he squeaked out. "You think I been stringing you, huh? Honest to God, I ain't."

I shook my head to stop him.

"Forget it," I grunted without looking at him. The dough is all yours. But I could do with a favor."

"Yeah?"

"There's something I've got to do about this," I said evenly. "Very screwy. Who would find anything they could find in this dump?"

"Not me," he said.

"Maybe I'll find out if I look around myself," I said.

Chapter 16

AT Broadway I flagged a cab and drove to the building where my office is located.

I was in luck, you might say. Nobody, not even a reporter, was parked with his lunch box outside my office door. Property and half expected a cop, but there was no lead in blue. My key worked the lock, too. I stepped into my office, closed the door, and took a good look around. I silently tipped my hat to Bierman, and thanked him very much. The office was exactly as I had left it some 28 hours before. Of course DeFoe and all reminders of him, had been removed. But not another single thing, as far as I could notice. Bierman certainly respected other people's property. Even when said people were inclined to rub him the wrong way.

I took the chain of keys, and the sheet of signatures, from my pocket, and spent several thoughtful moments over them. Presently I got up and went over to my office door. What I went back and sat down again a very important piece of the screwy jigsaw puzzle had fitted into its correct place.

I did some thinking about this and that, and then came up with an idea. I had lost Parrish's address and phone number, along with his five hundred dollars. But fortunately I could remember them. So I pulled over the phone and dialed the number. The sound of his bell-buzz came over the wire three times, and then the receiver was lifted at his end.

"Yes?"

Just the sound of a single word, but to me it was like stepping on a live wire. In case it was simply my imagination, I made a rat turn, I made sure, I dropped my voice a little and slurred it some.

"Mr. Gordon Parrish?" I asked politely.

"No. Who is calling, please?"

Chapter 17

Then I knew, and knowing somehow made my day all sunny and bright. This voice that spoke to me had been thin and reedy. For the second time I had heard it, and not been able to see its owner!

"A friend," I said quickly. "Let me speak to him. It's important!"

There was a moment's hesitation, and I set myself for an argument with Reedy Voice. No need for it, though.

"Just a minute, please," Reedy Voice told me. "Hold on a second. I'll get him. He's coming."

And then Parrish's voice came on the wire.

"Gordon Parrish speaking," he said, very business like. "Who is this?"

"This is Barnes Parrish," I said quietly. I heard the quick intake of breath, as though he were sitting in my lap.

"What? who?"

Maybe he had tried hard to make it casual. But it still sounded like a couple of rifle shots.

"Barnes," I repeated. "Gerry Barnes. You know him for a little job, remember?"

"Oh, Barnes?" he echoed right up the scale. Then hurriedly, "Yes, yes, of course. Where are you?"

"In my office," I replied. And I would have given a very big chunk of my money to be looking at his face. "I want to see you."

I added, "Soon as possible. Got a few things to report. You want to come here, or do you want me to drop over to your place?"

"I... I think it would be better for you to come here, Mr. Barnes," he finally told me. "And come right away, will you? I have an other appointment, but I'll put it off."

"Five minutes," I said with a grin he couldn't see. "Don't go away."

He assured me that he wouldn't, and hung up. I hung up, and leaned back still grinning. Personally I lifted a hand to my head.

Chapter 18

that still had an ache here and there, and a couple of lumps that had not quite flattened down to normal.

"So Parrish got scared?" I murmured to myself aloud. "Yeah. The guy got scared!"

AND by way of emphasis for that my phone bell rang. I didn't pick it up. I was afraid it was Parrish calling off the meeting. At least postponing it. And I definitely wanted to see that lad, and Reedy Voice, very soon and under an appointment. It is, mine's more important. Do I make myself clear?"

"I was tempted to hang up on him, but common sense stopped such foolishness. When Bierman talked like that he wasn't kidding. And I didn't want to let him run gunning for my license."

"Okay, okay," I grunted. "Meet you in your office?"

"No," he said. "Not in my office. Meet me at the Bellevue Morgue. Barnes."

Half of my stomach dropped a couple of inches. The other half became frozen solid.

"At the what?" I automatically gasped.

"The Morgue," he echoed.

"You hear me, Barnes? The Bellevue Morgue?"

"Yes, sure," I said with an effort.

"The Bellevue Morgue. Coming, now."

The line clicked, and went dead.

(To be continued)

Chapter 19

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"Forget it, Mister," he said. "I know a right game when I see one, see?"

"No, you take it," I said, and left the bill where I'd pushed it. "Forget it, Mister. To forget you ever saw me. Maybe some more of his pals will be dropping by. I don't want any of them to know I was there. Get it?"

He shook his head, and I set myself for the well-known hold-up. However, it seemed to be the Barnes day for guessing wrong.

"I don't get it, Mister," he said, with a grin. "But that's okay. Lots of things go on in this dump that I don't get. But don't worry none. I never seen you in my life before. And thanks, Mister."

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GENERAL OFFICE Clerk, must be able to type. Knowledge of shorthand helpful. Apply at Sherwood Refining Co. Inc.

23 Help Wanted—Male

YOUNG MAN over 18 with driving license. Apply Warren Food Lockers.

WANTED Experienced draftsman. Phone 403.

CARRIER BOY wanted in Pleasant Twp. Inquire Erie Dispatch office. 1571-J.

28 Positions Wanted—Female

HOUSEWORK wanted to do on Saturdays. Write Box 527, care Times-Mirror.

Merchandise

51 Articles For Sale

SPRING Steel Snow Shovels \$1.79. 10 gallon Garbage Pails \$1.99. Cole's Furniture Store. Phone 447.

THAYER baby carriage, good condition, woman's hip boots, size 6, excellent. Call 2885-J.

54 Business and Office Equipment

TYPEWRITERS \$55 up. Warren Typewriter Exchange. Phone 1862.

56 Fuel, Feed, Fertilizer

SEASONED WOOD for your stove, furnace & fireplace. Slab, \$2.50 cord. P. C. Linder, 1005-R.

SLABWOOD, \$2.50 cord. Bodywood 14" \$4.00 cord, 24" \$7.00 cord, delivered. Phone 2570.

SLABWOOD, mostly hard, 4 to 6 cords, \$2.50 cord. Phone Russell 417.

59 Household Goods

WE have 4 sizes Moore Gas Circulating Heaters in Stock. Warren Plumbing, Phone 2322.

HOUSEHOLD FURNISHINGS including dining table, buffet, electric washer, sweeper in good condition, other articles. 10 a. m. to 4 p. m., 7 to 9 p. m., 108 Conewango Ave.

ANTIQUES Wanted. Driving thru. Paying Hi. Anything over 40 yrs. Write Mollard, Westfield, N. Y.

RAW FURS wanted, Sat., 10 to 5. Car parked at Allegheny Hotel. Glen Klinevater.

WANTED to buy large, ornate, gold leaf picture frame, suitable for oil painting, oval shape preferred. Call 2110.

WANTED Raw furs. Steven Zook, 28 Glade Ave. Phone 2684-M.

AM AGAIN BUYING ANTIQUES. All kinds, highest prices. Pettibone's over Kirbier's. 554-J.

Real Estate for Rent

67 Rooms With Board

WANTED boarders at 1411 Pa. Ave. East. Rooms and Meals.

68 Rooms Without Board

PLEASANT sleeping room on bus line with laundry privileges. Phone 2623-R.

LARGE sleeping room, also garage for rent, 208 Onondaga Ave.

A NICE furnished room, a block from P. O. Use of kitchen. Phone 575.

SLEEPING Room for gentleman. Automatic coal heat, on bus line. Phone 3578.

74 Apartments and Flats

2ND FLOOR APT., large living room, 2 bedrooms, kitchen and bath, gas heat. Garage. Choice locality. No children or pets. \$70 without utilities. Possession after Feb. 1st. Phone 440-M after 10 a. m.

TWO partly furnished rooms, bath. Phone 802-W.

81 Wanted To Rent

WANTED—Furn. or unfurn. apt. or house, urgently needed. Call 195-W.

URGENTLY needed 3 or 4 room furnished or unfurnished apartment. Family of 3. Phone 3249.

3 OR MORE Room unfurnished apartment or house wanted. Price no objective. Phone 1998-R.

WANTED—Apartment, 1 son, 16 yrs., must have 2 bedrooms. Call 403-R after 5 p. m.

BUY U. S. SAVINGS BONDS

SAVE USED cooking fat. Meat dealers will buy every pound you turn in.

Real Estate for Sale

33 Farms and Land For Sale

FOR SALE—Building lot in Warren between Terrace and Frank St., fronting on Orchard St. 100 ft., depth 240, \$1000.00. Write Fritz Scheerer, Star Route, Irvine, Pa.

34 Houses For Sale

6 ROOM House, bath, 2 Peach St., \$2500. Phone 1201-J. Can be handled through G. I.

I AM READY to sell my house. Fred A. Schuler, 103 Roy St., Warren, Pa.

8 ROOM House, can be used as single or double. Cor. Center and Myrtle streets. Phone 2421-R for appointment. Price \$6,000.

33 ACRES on Jackson Run, 5 Room House, bath, garage, barn. Phone 5895-J-11 from 10 a. m. to 2 p. m.

OIL QUOTATIONS

SEEP PURCHASING AGENCY OF SOUTH PENN OIL CO.

(Effective Dec. 31, 1948)

Allegheny district oil in Bradford Transit Co. \$4.50

Bradford district oil in Bradford Transit Co. 4.50

Buckeye district oil in National Transit Co. 4.50

Bradford district oil (Tons) Sheffield in National Transit Co. 4.44

Pennsylvania grade oil in South West Pennsylvania 4.10

Pennsylvania Grade oil in Buckeye Pipe Line Co. 4.09

Corning grade oil in Buckeye Pipe Line Co. 3.10

Buckeye-Pennsylvania grade oil in Buckeye Pipe Line Co. 4.05

TIDE WATER ASSOCIATED

(Effective Dec. 11, 1948)

Bradford district \$4.50

Allegheny district 4.50

PENNZOIL CO.

(Effective Dec. 31, 1948)

Pennsylvania grade oil in National Transit Lines:

Group A \$4.44

Includes Cochran, Franklin, Hamilton and Doolittle districts.

Group B 4.44

Includes Titusville district.

Group C 4.44

Includes Turkey and Tidewater districts.

Group D 4.44

Includes Creek and Porky districts.

Group E 4.44

Includes Eldeneau, Bull Creek, Rough Run, Carbon, Dipner, Bredin, McJunkin, Jameson, Kemmerdell, Emmenton and Kinzua districts.

Price depends on length of pipe haul to plant at Oil City.

QUAKER STATE

(Effective Dec. 31, 1948)

Bradford-Allegheny district \$4.50

West Virginia 4.09

Middle Penna. district 4.44

Southeastern Ohio (Pennsylvania grade) 4.05

VALVOLINE PIPE LINES

(Effective Dec. 31, 1948)

Bradford district-Titona \$4.50

Penn's grade southwest district 4.10

Penn's grade West Virginia 4.09

Penn's grade middle district 4.44

Penn's grade southeastern 4.03

(Effective Dec. 11, 1948)

Zanesville, O., Penn's grade 3.65

BRUNDED OIL CORP

(Effective Dec. 11, 1948)

Middle district \$4.50

CITIES SERVICE CO.

(Effective Dec. 31, 1948)

Oil City-Titusville \$4.44

UNITED REFINING CO.

(Effective Dec. 31, 1948)

Bradford district oil \$4.50

Warren, Clarendon and Tons areas 4.50

Pennsylvania grade oil in National Transit Lines, Warren and Forest counties 4.44

ELK REFINING CO.

(Effective Dec. 31, 1948)

Pennsylvania grade oil in Buckeye Pipe Lines \$4.09

PENNSYLVANIA REFINING CO.

(Effective Dec. 11, 1948)

Penn's grade oil, middle district in Nat. Tran. lines \$4.50

Penn's grade oil, South West Penn's grade oil, West Va. 4.29

WAVERLY OIL WORKS CO.

(Effective Dec. 31, 1948)

Penn's grade, S. W. District \$4.10

Eureka 4.09

WOLF'S HEAD OIL REFINING CO.

(Effective Dec. 31, 1948)

Bradford district \$4.50

Allegheny district 4.50

Middle district 4.44

Franklin heavy district 5.19

There are 4,750,000 commercial truck drivers in the United States.

SPECIALTY FUEL OIL

Keeps Storage Clean Resists Carbon in Boilers and Burners

KEROSENE Delivers Made Anywhere Call INTERSTATE OIL SERVICE 487-J Warren, Pa.

15-Year-Old Girl Takes Her Own Life

Detroit, Jan. 5.—(P)—It was unbearable to pretty 15-year-old Donna Joyce that a "swell guy" like Bobby should call everything off.

To "all the kids" Donna wished "better luck than I had."

In the official records today her death was listed as a suicide.

And her grieving parents dwelt sorrowfully on her request to "dress me in a black sweater and gray skirt and leave Bobby's ring around my neck."

Donna, a policeman's daughter, was found dying yesterday of a revolver shot in her chest. The gun belonged to her father, Patrolman Herman Joyce.

In the living room beside her lay her farewell note—"I love Bobby too much to live without him."

Bobby, 17, was her high school boy friend. Recently they had quarreled.

AT THE HOSPITAL

Admitted Tuesday

Mary Ann Campagna, 1505-S. Hill street.

Mrs. Mary Pratt, 14 Plum street.

Mary King, 311 Madison avenue.

Mrs. Olive McIntosh, Warren RD 3.

Donald Raybuck, West Hickory.

Mrs. Martha A. Jones, 17 Park street.

Mrs. Georgia Lesser, North Warren.

Fay Mangini, 324 Water street.

John Hillman, 15 South South street.

Walter Sperry, Warren RD 1.

Mrs. Frances Pagano, 304 Beech street.

Discharged Tuesday

George Lauger, Noble, N. Y.

Raymond Peters, Pittsfield.

Mrs. Catherine Alling, Barnes.

Mrs. Dora Olsen, 614 1/2 Water street.

Wayne Kippie, Sugar Grove RD 8.

Mrs. June McDonald, 11 Bradley street.

Three pitchers in the American League won 20 or more games in 1948. Twenty-game winners were Bob Lemon and Gene Bearden of the Cleveland Indians. Hal Newhouser of Detroit won 21.

Everybody reads the Times-Mirror

OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. WILLIAMS



A MARKED MAN

CARNIVAL

By Dick Turner

SPORT NEWS

Warren Dragons Nip Kane Wolves 38 to 37 In See-Saw Tussle

Warren High Dragons nipped the heels of the Kane Wolves, 38 to 37, in a tense, spine-tingling battle in jam-packed Kane gym last night.

The scoring edge slipped back and forth between the two clubs throughout the contest, and a fervent prayer from ardent team followers rode each shot at the scoring ring from the open court and from the charity strips. It was a ding-dong battle right down to the wire with Kane getting in its final scoring lick with less than 15 seconds of playing time remaining on the clock.

The win was the second this season for the Blue and White basketballers over Kane and their 10th triumph in 11 starts. First battle between the teams on Beauty court also was a close affair with the final score reading 31 to 29.

The Dragons, defending champions of PIAA District 10, open their quest for the 1948-49 crown Friday night when they meet the Titusville Rockets in a Section Two tussle at Titusville.

The starting five for Warren—Chuck Reese, Bob Brumagin, Dick Christensen, Ted Shattuck and Gail Nelson—played the entire game, while Kane used but two subs.

Scoring opened with Bud Daly of Kane and Reese for Warren each sinking two free throws. Jim Bovard tallied on a layup for the Wolves, but Brumagin quickly matched it. Erickson, towering center for the home team, slotted a free throw, the Massmen went into the lead for the first time when Christensen connected on a long arch. Bovard hit twice and Jim Thompson once to put Kane ahead, 11-6. Christensen connected on a close-in shot as the quarter ended with Kane ahead, 11-8.

In the first four minutes of the second stanza, the only scoring was a field goal by Reese for Warren, and a free-thrower by Erickson for Kane. But before intermission, Warren had gained seven points on two baskets by Shattuck and one by Christensen and a free throw by Nelson, while Kane collected six units on fielders by Thompson, Daly and Forsythe. At the half, the Wolves were ahead 19-17.

Shattuck tied things up right off the bat in the third frame with a bucket. Nelson and Christensen added fielders and Christensen slotted a free throw to give the Dragons a five-point edge in 24-19 scoring. Bovard and Shattuck matched baskets and Reese and Erickson did the same to make the tally, Warren 29, Kane 28. Bovard found the mark off the pivot and added a free throw. Daly, Kerchner also swished the net from the open court to give Kane a 30-28 advantage at the three-quarters flag.

Three minutes of the tense final period slipped away with Bovard connecting on a foul for Kane. Brumagin hitting for Warren and Bovard sinking a rebound shot to make the score, Kane 33, Warren 30. Points came few and far between for both teams after that, but Nelson arched a long heave before the officials' time out with three minutes left. That made it Kane 33, Warren 32.

Reese then counted from the wide and Christensen followed it up with a shot out in front of the board to give Warren a 33-33 advantage. Kerchner kept Kane in the running with a layup. Then Brumagin broke loose and sunk the chucker for Warren, although Erickson came through with a basket in the closing seconds to cut the victory margin to one slim point.

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BOWLING

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS

St. Marys took the lead in the opening round of the second half Catholic Daughters tenpin league race by trouncing Villa Maria, 3-1. End Store and Youngsville Billiards, were tied for second place, just a step behind the A. B. C.'s as the result of firing on Arcade alleys last night.

A. B. C. fashioned a 4-0 triumph over East End while the Billiards squad trimmed Millies Inn, 3-1. In other tilts, Engstrom Tailors and Walter Hardware split even and Pleasant Valley whitewashed Fairmont Hotel.

W. Caffrey, toiling the line for East End store, splattered the sticks for a 556 aggregate on games of 102, 193 and 201. C. Sample and A. Johnson, both firing for A. B. C., were credited with 539 and 538 totals, respectively.

High individual performers included Ester Matthews with 136-154-114-40 for Mercyhurst; Min-Gerardi with 115-160-129-402 for St. Marys; and Stella Corra with 125-138-132-395 for Villa Maria.

Standings W. L. Pct. St. Marys 3 1 .750 Holy Cross 2 2 .500 Mercyhurst 2 2 .500 Villa Maria 1 3 .250 VNN Vp

Leaders High single game—Lois Kifer, 207. High three game—Lois Kifer, 487. High team game—St. Marys, 710. High team total—St. Marys, 1945.

Honor Roll Chiaromonte 147, Kamen 125, D'Angelo 136, Cerra 138, M. Gray 137, M. Gerardi 160, Matthews 154, R. Gerardi 169, Valone 138, Owen 139, Kifer 138.

Leaders High game—Lyle Freeborough, 265. High three games—Lyle Freeborough, 644. High team score—East End Store, 961. High match score—Engstrom Tailors, 2523.

INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE Fred Baldensperger maulled the maples for a new Industrial tenpin league record of 679 sticks on the pace-setting Sunray Electric. Penn lanes last night to lead Farr's Sports Shop to a 3-1 win over Check Bros. Fred racked up the new league mark on games of 201, 223 and 255.

In other tilts marking the opening of the league's second-half race, West Penn Oil shellacked arren County Motor Sales; Kinnears tripped up Warren Food Lockers, 3-1; and Tummis Bros. toppled Warren County Insurance, 3-1.

Others hitting into the high scoring stratosphere were Norm Wooster with 203-204-246-653 for Tummis Brothers; Bob Check with 234-181-202-615 for Check Bros.; and Frank Gerardi with 193-240-179-612 for Warren Food Lockers.

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Charge "Fix" Attempted In College Game

New York, Jan. 5.—(P)—Four men were under arrest on a bribery charge today after a college basketball player told authorities they tried to get him to "fix" a game.

District Attorney Frank S. Hogan said last night, following four months' investigation by New York City detectives, came after David Shapiro of Brooklyn, co-captain of George Washington University's cage squad, had reported the bribe offer to him.

Hogan praised Shapiro, a 25-year-old GI law student who won four battle stars in World War II, for his courage and honesty in working with the district attorney's office until the arrests were made.

Charged with violation of a section of the penal law covering bribery of participants in amateur sports and with conspiracy were: Joseph Aronowitz, 35, a cloth cutter of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Philip Klein, 24, a linotype operator, also of Brooklyn.

Jack Leach, basketball player, William Rivlin, 43, of New York. Hogan said Shapiro told him that the four men had offered him \$1,000 to make certain his team lost to Manhattan College at Madison Square Garden last night by a lopsided score.

Youngsville Eagles Lose At Sheffield

An early season setback at Youngsville was avenged by Sheffield High School last night when the Wolverines trimmed the Eagles, 48 to 38, on the Sheffield court. First meeting between the teams ended in a 49-34 win for Youngsville.

Dick Moldovan, Wolverine forward, blazed hot with 18 points as Sheffield came from behind in the third period and stayed out in front for the remainder of the distance. Chuck Borton and Jim Connor were best scorers for Youngsville with 11 points each.

Standings W. L. Pct. Sheffield 8 2 .800 Moldovan, f 8 2 18 Bires, f 4 0 8 Hece, c 0 1 1 Wagner, g 5 1 11 Albaugh, g 1 2 4 McElhatton, c 2 0 4 Totals 20 6 46

Youngsville FG FP TP Borton, f 5 1 11 Warner, f 1 1 3 Connor, c 5 1 11 Chappell, g 3 1 7 Haight, f 1 1 3 Totals 15 6 36

Score by quarters: Sheffield 7 9 10 14-46 Youngsville 3 10 10 7 Official: Tomasson (Warren)

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Hurdler Named As Athlete With Outstanding Comeback

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601 to 615 words or 43 lines	660	15.84	34.40		
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631 to 645 words or 45 lines	690	16.56	36.00		
646 to 660 words or 46 lines	705	16.92	36.80		
661 to 675 words or 47 lines	720	17.28	37.60		
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721 to 735 words or 51 lines	780	18.72	40.80		
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751 to 765 words or 53 lines	810	19.44	42.40		
766 to 780 words or 54 lines	825	19.80	43.20		
781 to 795 words or 55 lines	840	20.16	44.00		
796 to 810 words or 56 lines	855	20.52	44.80		
811 to 825 words or 57 lines	870	20.88	45.60		
826 to 840 words or 58 lines	885	21.24	46.40		
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886 to 900 words or 62 lines	945	22.68	49.60		
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FOR QUICK renewal Service on Magazines you didn't get for Xmas. Call F. R. Erickson, 3050-J.

MEN'S SUITS and topcoats. Ladies suits and spring coats, made to measure in all types of fabric and style you desire. New Suit Club will start January 15th, 1949. Frank Caravetta, Sheffield, Pa. Call 2702.

FOR RENT Electric Floor Sander, Die and Belt Sanders, Floor Scrubbers, Wallpaper Steamers. Paul H. Coe.

LOST—Rhinestone necklace Friday night at Beaty Gym or between there and Brook St. Finder please call 1483-R.

LOST near Saybrook, black, white and tan beagle hound. Lic. 2468. Call 3348-M.

Automotive

11 Automobiles For Sale

1936 Chevy Sedan, fair condition, 1949 inspection. Phone 5830-R-11 after 5 p. m.

NEW 1940 La Salle Sedan, 4 dr. Good features of this car, new tires, heater, radio defroster, new seat covers. Life time car, must be seen to be appreciated. This point is beautiful. The car is durable. Ph. 520-J.

1946 CHEVY 4 door Fleet Master, radio, heater. Call 3257.

1946 PONTIAC Streamliner Coupe Sedan, excellent condition. Radio and Heater. Warren Hudson, Inc. Phone 2227, 1602 Penna. Ave. W.

1942 STUDEBAKER Commander. Excellent mechanical condition, radio, heater. Will sell below book price. Call 3257.

1947 CHEVY convertible, radio, heater. Call 3257.

1941 Pontiac, 2 dr. sedan. New motor, new paint job, front end completely rebuilt. George's Garage, 14 1/2 Elm St. Phone 3490.

1938 I H C International Long-wheel base. Truck. V license. 1946 Chevrolet truck, long wheel base. U license. 1939 Chevrolet Coupe. E. and E. Chevrolet, 413 Pa. Ave. E. Phone 1444.

1936 FORD tudor, 1932 Plymouth 4 door, 1937 Dodge coupe, 1940 Dodge 4 door, 1946 Plymouth 4 door. Dyke's Esso Service, 710 Market St.

USED CARS

1927 DeSoto 6 Sedan.
1939 Chevy 6 Coach.
1931 Ford A Coupe.
1947 Dodge custom sedan.
1940 Pontiac 4 door sedan.
1946 Chevy 6 coach.
1946 Ford 6 coach.
1947 Chevy 6 coach.
1943 Jeep 1/2 ton pickup.

HAZNA MOTOR SALES

Kaiser & Frazer—Warren, Pa.

12 Auto Trucks For Sale

48 F8 FORD
159" Cabin Chassis
33 Ford Pick-Up
37 Ford Stake, 153
34 Ford Panel
42 Chevrolet Dump
36 Chevrolet Sedan Delivery
Will trade, terms available.
Keystone Garage
1511 Penna. Ave. E. Phone 3193

1938 CHEVY dump truck, will sacrifice. Call 3257.

Business Service

18 Business Services Offered

HEMSTITCHING, button holes, covered belts, buttons and buckles. 24 hour service. Singer Sewing Center, 340 Penna. Ave. W.

REPAIR all models of Sewing Machines. All work guaranteed. Singer Sewing Center, 340 Pa. Ave. W., Call 3300.

SEPTIC tanks cleaned. Phone 2745.

MEN'S SUITS and Topcoats mothproofed for only \$1.00. Five year written guarantee. Wills Cleaners, 327 Pa. Ave. W.

"FLEXALUM" Venetian blinds, "Alcoa" all alum. comb. storm and screen windows. Kool-vent alum Awnings. E. Quat Uir, 615 4th Ave. Phone 2485.

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COATS and dresses beautifully dyed, \$4.50 and up. Wills Cleaners, 327 Pa. Ave. West.

NEW RENTAL rates on Sander and Edger, 3 hours or less \$2.00. 24 hours or less \$4.00 each additional 12 hours or less \$5.00. Montgomery-Ward Co.

25 Moving, Trucking, Storage

MOVING, STORAGE, HAULING. Local, long distance moving.

Phone 35, Masterson Transfer Co.

MOVING, shipping, receiving and packing. Warren Transfer and Storage Co.

Employment

33 Help Wanted—Female

THE QUICKEST way to earn money, build an Avon Cosmetics business of your own, in full or part time. Openings in Warren and Kinross. Give phone number and write Mrs. E. A. Ingram, 513 No. Wood St., Emporium, Pa., Phone 4302.

GENERAL OFFICE Clerk, must be able to type. Knowledge of shorthand helpful. Apply at Sherwood Refining Co. Inc.

33 Help Wanted—Male

YOUNG MAN over 18 with driver's license. Apply Warren Food Lockers.

WANTED Experienced draftsman. Phone 408.

CARRIER BOY wanted in Pleasant Twp. Inquire Erie Dispatch Office, 1571-J.

36 Position Wanted—Female

HOUSEWORK wanted to do on Saturdays. Write Box 527, care Times-Mirror.

Merchandise

51 Articles For Sale

SPRING Steel Snow Shovels \$1.79. 10 gallon Garbage Pails \$1.99. In Cole's Furniture Store. Phone 447.

THAYER baby carriage, good condition, woman's hip boots, size 6, excellent. Call 2965-J.

54 Business and Office Equipment

TYPEWRITERS \$35 up. Warren Typewriter Exchange. Phone 1852.

56 Fuel, Feed, Fertilizer

SEASONED WOOD for your stove, furnace & fireplace. Slab, \$2.50 cord. P. C. Linder, 1005-R.

SLABWOOD, \$2.50 cord. Bodywood 14" \$4.00 cord, 24" \$7.00 cord, delivered. Phone 2570.

SLABWOOD, mostly hard, 4 to 5 cord loads, \$2.50 cord. Phone Russell 4171.

59 Household Goods

WE have 4 sizes Moore Gas Circulating Stoves in Stock. Warren Plumbing. Phone 2822.

HOUSEHOLD FURNISHINGS including dining table, buffet, electric washer, sweepers in good condition, other articles, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. 7 to 9 p. m., 105 Conewango Ave.

66 Wanted To Buy

ANTIQUES Wanted. Driving thru. Paying \$1. Anything over 40 yrs. Write Mollard, Westfield, N. Y.

RAW FURS wanted, Sat., 10 to 5. Car parked at Allegheny Hotel. Glen Klinester.

WANTED to buy large, ornate, gold leaf picture frame, suitable for oil painting. Oval shape preferred. Call 2110.

WANTED Raw furs. Steven Zock, 26 Glade Ave. Phone 2684-M.

AM AGAIN BUYING ANTIQUES all kinds, highest prices. Pettibone's, 584-J.

Real Estate for Rent

67 Rooms With Board

WANTED boarders at 1411 Pa. Ave. East. Rooms and Meals.

68 Rooms Without Board

PLEASANT sleeping room on bus line with laundry privileges. Phone 2623-R.

LARGE sleeping room, also garage for rent, 208 Onondaga Ave.

A NICE furnished room, a block from P. O. Use of kitchen. Phone 575.

SLEEPING Room for gentleman. Automatic coal heat, on bus line. Phone 3579.

74 Apartments and Flats

2ND FLOOR APT., large living room, 2 bedrooms, kitchen and bath, gas heat. Garage. Choice locality. No children or pets. \$70 without utilities. Possession after Feb. 1st. Phone 440-M after 10 a. m.

TWO partly furnished rooms, bath. Phone 802-W.

81 Wanted To Rent

WANTED—Furn. or unfurn. apt. or house, urgently needed. Call 195-W.

URGENTLY needed 3 or 4 room furnished or unfurnished apartment. Family of 3. Phone 3249.

WANTED—Apartment, 1 son, 16 yrs., must have 2 bedrooms. Call 403-R after 5 p. m.

BUY U. S. SAVINGS BONDS

SAVE USED cooking fat. Meat dealers will buy every pound you turn in.

Real Estate for Sale

33 Farms and Land For Sale

FOR SALE—Building lot in Warren between Terrace and Frank St., fronting on Orchard St. 100 ft. depth 340, \$1000.00. Write Fritz Scheeren, Star Route, Irvine, Pa.

34 Homes For Sale

6 ROOM House, bath, 8 Peach St., \$2500. Phone 1201-J. Can be handled through G. I.

I AM READY to sell my house. Fred A. Schuler, 108 Roy St., Warren, Pa.

6 ROOM House, can be used as single or double. Cor. Center and Myrtle streets. Phone 2421-R for appointment. Price \$8,000.

33 ACRES on Jackson Run, 5 Room House, bath, garage, barn. Phone 5895-J-11 from 10 a. m. to 2 p. m.

Twelfth Night Celebration In Sheffield

Sheffield, Jan. 5.—The Girl Scouts and Brownies will celebrate the age-old custom of the burning of the Christmas greens in a Twelfth Night ceremony to be held at seven o'clock this evening at Memorial playground. The public is cordially invited to share in the evening's fun.

After a festive Christmas program, the Woman's Club had its first meeting of the new year on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. P. J. Finerty. Railroads Serve a Vital Purpose was the theme of the paper presented by Mrs. E. D. Hulse, who was assisted by Mrs. Frank Handeyside, Mrs. L. O. Elsenhauser, Mrs. Bert J. Hover, and Mrs. John Burns. A colored film, "Mainland U. S. A.," giving the story of the railroads, was shown by Mrs. Evelyn P. Gailor. Current events were given by Mrs. Jay Cathin. For the next meeting Mrs. J. A. Allen will be the hostess. Refreshments were served by Mrs. C. A. Anderson, Mrs. L. L. Huston and Mrs. Finerty.

Mrs. C. G. McDowell and Mrs. Evelyn P. Gailor have returned after spending the holidays in Florida.

Mrs. L. K. Sator has returned home after spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith, Towanda.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvine Howarth and son Jack, spent the past weekend in Bradford.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Persche, and daughter Martha Ann, spent the New Year's weekend in Cleveland.

Miss Lucille Baynes spent the holidays as the guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. C. Hekus, Hartford, Conn. Richard Lewis, stationed at the Great Lakes Training Station, and Rex Lewis, stationed at Memphis, Tenn., visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lewis, for the holidays.

Mrs. F. E. Shick and son, James, attended the funeral of Mrs. Agnes Sayers, of Erie, last week. Mrs. Sayers was a sister of the late M. H. Shick.

LANDER

Lander, Jan. 4.—There were no Sunday school nor church services here Sunday because of the deep snow.

Members of the Miller Hill Sunday school met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carlson. Rev. Leslie Frank, Union Sunday School Missionary, showed two films, "When the Littlest Camel Kneels" and "The Little Child of Bethlehem" and also brought the message. The meeting closed with carol singing. A social hour followed and refreshments were served.

Mrs. Florence Parker and son, Charles, with Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Parker, of Warren, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Reitzel and family in Buffalo.

The Miller Hill Birthday Club met at the home of Mrs. Maurice Strickland. Gifts were exchanged for their Christmas party and Mrs. Strickland was presented cards and a gift of money.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Strickland entertained members of their family Thursday evening. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Strickland, of Busti; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Larson, Jamestown; Lorna Strickland, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Parker, of Warren; Mrs. Florence Parker and son, Charles. Gifts were exchanged and a buffet lunch served.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lounsbury, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Haley entertained Mr. and Mrs. Percy Adams, of Frevsburg, and son Harold, who is attending Ryer College in Trenton, N. J., at dinner Thursday evening.

Mrs. Florence Parker and son, Charles, attended a gathering of the Parker family Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Stoddard, Warren-Jamestown road.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lounsbury, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Haley attended the silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Nelson at Jamestown.

Mrs. Genevieve Allen and son, Malcolm, who is attending Roberts Junior College spent a couple of days with Mrs. Florence Parker.

Rev. and Mrs. H. W. Beveridge visited his parents at Strattonville last week.

A group of local young people attended a caroling party held at the American Legion Home in Sugar Grove.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

The 55th annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Warren, Pennsylvania, will be held at their banking house Tuesday, January 11, 1949, at 3 O'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

N. D. PATERSON, Cashier.
Dec. 8-15-22-29, Jan. 3-5.



SALE! Blankets

100% Wool Blankets

Virgin wool blankets in deep tones and pastel shades. Stock up on these now! **9.84**

Orr Wool Blankets

100% wool blanket in white with striped three colored border. **12.84**

Stork Sheet Blankets

Included are the extra large size.
81 x 99 2.95
81 x 108 3.19



Alpine Cotton Blanket

White sheet blanket in two sizes.

Small Size 2.49
Large Size 2.69

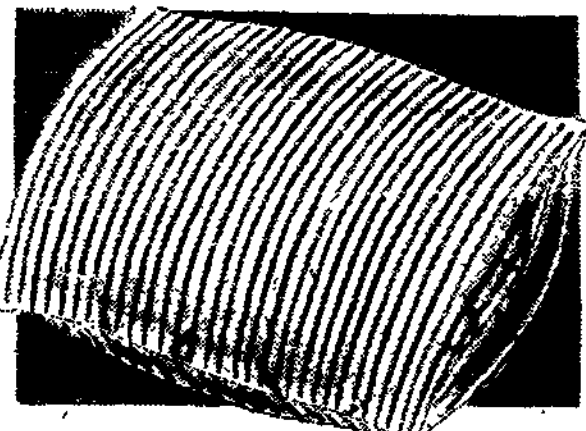
SALE! Pillows and Covers

All Down Pillows

Regular 7.95 linen finished tick with corded edge. A beautiful pillow! **6.95**

50% Down Pillows

Regular 6.95 50% down and 50% small feathers. **5.95**



Colored Pillow Cover

To keep you pillow clean. Zipper closing. **89c**



SALE! Towels and Wash Cloths

Panel Turkish Towels

Striped borders each side of the panel in pastel shades. **59c**

Matching Wash Cloths 15c

Olympic Turkish Towel

In two sizes, the hand towel and the large bath size. **59c-98c**

Stevens Crash Towels

A big buy on these famous make tea towels. Striped border. **39c**

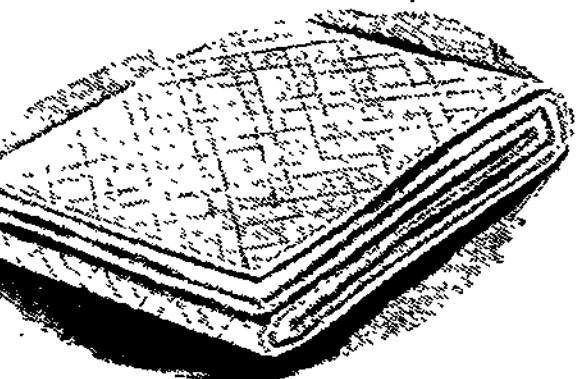
To 4.98 Mattress Protectors

These fine quality heavily quilted pads may be had in two sizes:

39 x 76 2.95
54 x 76 3.95

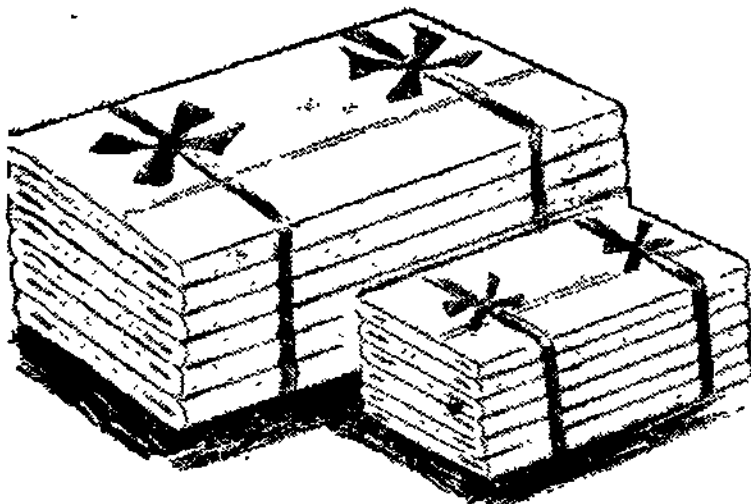
3.98 Mattress Covers

Full and twin mattress sizes with zipper closing. **3.59**



The Great White Way --- To Savings in Metzger-Wright's Great White Sale

Thousands of Dollars worth of White Goods and related merchandise at lowest prices since "before the war"! Buy your year's supply now!



SALE! Sheets and Cases

Stock up your linen closet now at these special reductions.

First Lady Sheet Sale

Size	Reg. Price	Sale Price
72 x 99	2.98	2.89
72 x 108	3.09	2.98

Pequot Sheets and Cases

Size	Reg. Price	Sale Price
72 x 108	3.09	2.98
81 x 99	3.09	2.98

Pequot Pillow Cases

Size	Reg. Price	Sale Price
42 x 36	74c	69c
54 x 36	79c	75c

CANNON Carnival

Come one, come all... join the crowd on its way to savings at the Cannon Winter Carnival. Values you must take advantage of... but come early, as these values will walk out fast.

Percale Sheets and Cases

Size	Reg. Price	Sale Price
72 x 108	3.39	2.98
81 x 108	3.69	3.29
90 x 108	3.98	3.49

Pillow Cases

Size	Reg. Price	Sale Price
42 x 36	85c	79c

Cannon Muslin Sheets

Size	Reg. Price	Sale Price
81 x 99 and 72 x 108	2.49	2.34

Matching Pillow Cases 2 for \$1

San Souci Towels - Cloths

Those famous rope bordered Cannon Towels that you buy in ensembles. In Flamingo, Azure, Buttercup, Greenspray, Peach and all White.

98c Bath Size Towels 89c
59c Face Towel 50c
29c Matching Wash Cloths 25c

SALE! Needed White Goods

Save on these white goods by the yard, for making your own towels, sheets, and many other items.

Bleached Muslin 37c

No place will you find this fine quality muslin at only 37c a yard.

White Outing 22c - 32c

Regular to 39c value in 27 inch and 36 inch widths.

Table Damask 98c

Regular 1.25 value white cotton table damask.

Crash Toweling 42c

All linen crash with colored border reduced from 59c.

Fine Indian Head Muslin

In three widths, 36, 42 and 54 from 1.25 value now from **69c**

One Group Cotton Fabrics

Including batiste, long cloth, Swiss, nurses' cloth, pajama checks. **54c**

Fine Quality Percales

Solid colors and prints. Regular 49c value reduced. **42c**

Fine Quality Printed Cottons

In this group are values to \$1 in small and large figures. **75c**

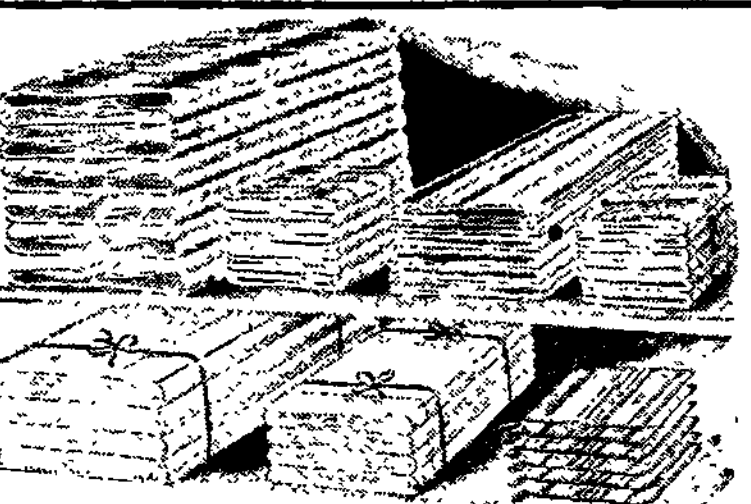
Black Rock Muslin

You know so many uses for this muslin in brown shade. **29c**

Special Checked Toweling

This special checked toweling comes in bright colors. **45c**

59c Ironing Board Covers .49c



Cannon Pastel Towels

The most gorgeous, thick, absorbent bath towels of the famous Cannon Quality.

Large Size 69c
Face Towel Size 29c
Matching Wash Cloths 15c

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